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FROM WASHINGTON.

Invited to Attend the World's Fair Opening.

THE SCENE OF THE INAUGURAL BALL.

Decided in Favor of the Miners—Reassembling of the Supreme Court—Against the Western Union—A Biography of Blaine.

The President Formally Invited to Attend the World's Fair Opening.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—President Cleveland's first official invitation was extended to him yesterday afternoon. It came from the World's fair commissioners and directors, and was presented, according to previous arrangements, in the cabinet room at 10 o'clock. There were present from the committee on public ceremonies P. A. B Widener, chairman; B B. Smalley, V. D. Groner, James Hodges, A. T. Ewing, T. W. Palmer and John T. Dickinson. From the committee on ceremonies of the local World's fair directory, E. F. Lawrence, T. B. Bryan, A. H. Revell, Ferd W. Peck and Benjamin Butterworth. From the national World's fair commission, Vice-President J R. McKenzie, W. R. Williams, J T. Harris and R. E. Gooddell.

Gen Nelson A. Miles, U. S A., accompanied the committee by invitation and the Chicago congressional delegation were expected to be present, but did not appear.

President Cleveland received the party in the cabinet room. He was attired in a pepper-and-salt suit with a frock coat, and appeared none the worse for his exposure of Saturday. Introductions were made by ex-Senator T. W. Palmer, chairman of the Columbian exposition commissioners.

After all the gentlemen had been greeted—many of them were old acquaintances of the president—Mr. Widener addressed the president, who stood at the head of the table with his his hands on his hips, in an attitude of earnest attention Mr. Widener said:

"MR. PRESIDENT: It gives me great pleasure, as chairman of the committee on public ceremonies, to extend to you an invitation to be present at and participate in the opening exercises of the Columbian World's fair exposition on the first day of May next. The occasion commemorates the greatest event in the history of the western continent, and tells of the glories of the greatest country on that continent and of the world. It is entirely proper that the opening of the exposition should be formally proclaimed by the president of the United States. The committee desire me to express the hope that Mrs. Cleveland, who will also receive an invitation, may accompany you on that occasion."

President Cleveland's response was entirely informal, and consisted mainly of questions as to the length of the programme, and the time it would be necessary for him to remain in Chicago to perform what was expected of him.

"If I go," he said, "it will be because I deem it a public duty which I ought to discharge. At that time, as you gentlemen are doubtless aware, there will be many matters of public importance to demand my presence here."

President Palmer supplemented Mr. Widener's invitation on behalf of the Columbia exposition and of over 65,000,000 people, every man, woman and child of whom will expect the president to be there

Mr. Palmer assured the president that his wishes in the matter should be respected and that if it were necessary for him to leave half an hour after the exercises closed, it should be done.

President Cleveland said he would consider the matter and announce his decision in a day or two The committee and gentlemen then shook hands with him and retired

The invitation to the president is on vellum. The first sheet contains the invitation, done in pen and ink, surmounted by a handsome design based upon the figure of the flag, which reads as follows:

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, GROVER CLEVELAND, WASHINGTON, D C — The pleasure of your presence is requested at the opening exercises of the Columbian World's exposition in the city of Chicago on the first day of May, 1893 at 10 o clock a m

On the second sheet are inscribed the names of the members of the committee on public ceremonies The two sheets are inclosed in a handsome black morocco case 12x16 inches, lined with white silk

The committee will remain in the city until the members of the new cabinet are inducted into office, when invitations to accompany their chief to Chicago will be formally extended to them But there will be no other silk, vellum or black morocco invitations presented to any one Altogether but 1,500 invitations to the opening will be issued

The Inaugural Ball Room.

WASHINGTON, March 7 —That everybody did not attend the inaugural ball Saturday night, was evident when the crowds poured into the pension building to see the decorations and listen to a concert by the Marine band.

The great hall of the building presented a scene that fully repaid a visit, although some of the roses had faded and the trailing vines so profusely used in the decorations, had begun to droop. The bright sunlight instead of a flood of artificial light, which the decorator had in view when he designed the scheme, streamed through the tall windows of the attic story, but its garnishment was softened to a large extent by the white and cold canopy which formed the beautifully-drapped ceiling of the ball room.

The decorations as a whole wore a somewhat dissipated air, yet were still wonderfully fine.

Decided in Favor of the Miners.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—In an opinion delivered by Justice Blatchford, for Chief Justice Fuller, in the case of George A. Pettibone and other striking Coeur d'Alene miners, in Idaho, against the United States, the court decided in favor of the miners and directed that the indictment against them be quashed.

These cases grow out of the riots at the Warden mines. The court there granted injunctions restraining the strikers from interfering with the men, and it is alleged that Pettibone and others conspired to violate the laws of the United States. The court holds that the indictment under which they were convicted on this charge is defective in that it was shown that the men had no knowledge of the action of the court. Therefore the men were discharged. Justices Brown and Brewer dissenting.

Reassembling of the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The United States supreme court chamber was crowded to its utmost yesterday morning, when the court reassembled after its customary February recess. All the visitors who could gain admittance were present to witness the proceedings, and the space within the bar was filled to overflowing with counsel. Justice Jackson was on the bench, but Chief Justice Fuller was absent, he having been telegraphed to come to Chicago, where his daughter is seriously ill Senior Associate Justice Field presided. A large number of decisions were rendered, mostly in unimportant cases

A Decision Against the Western Union Telegraph Co

WASHINGTON, March 7 —In the case of the city of East St. Louis against the Western Union Telegraph Co. the supreme court of the United States, in an opinion by Judge Brewer, reversed the decision of the lower court and held to be valid a city ordinance exacting compensation from the company for the use of its telegraph poles, the charge being laid on each pole.

Gail Hamilton Preparing a Biography of Mr. Blaine.

WASHINGTON, March 7 —The announcement is publicly made by Gail Hamilton (Miss Abigail Dodge) that with the co-operation of Mrs. Blaine and family she is preparing a biography of the late James G Blaine, but cannot yet say when it will be completed and issued

LATE NEWS FROM HONOLULU.

The English Residents Displeased—The Queen Not Allowed to Enter the Palace.

HONOLULU, Feb 16 —Although provisional troops and United States marines are constantly on guard, and everyone is ready to assemble at the call of danger, there has been absolutely no excitement here since Minister Stevens took charge. The English are not pleased at the course of events, but they content themselves with talk about the jingo policy of "old Minister Stevens."

Capt Good, commanding the barracks under present military organization, said to-day that while there was some question as to whether a general uprising of native Hawaiians could be incited, it was not because they lacked in bravery, but rather that proper leadership was wanting. "I don't mind telling you," he said "that on Sunday last I learned that there was a project on foot for Queen Liliuokalani, as she is still called, to go to the palace. You may not understand that that would mean much, but to the native mind it would mean, in fact, an assumption once more of royal authority. At guard mount at 6 o'clock, on Monday morning, I issued an order that if Mrs. Dominis (the deposed queen) attempted to enter the palace gates without a pass properly signed to refuse her admission, and if forcible entry was attempted to resist it, and that the guard would be there in double-quick time.

On Monday the rumors were repeated and I reported what I done to Col. Soper and President Dole, who approved it, and I have since issued the same order every morning No attempt has yet been made by Mrs Dominis to enter the palace, and she remains quietly at her residence near by.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Judge Gresham has filed his resignation as judge of the Seventh circuit and it has been accepted

—George Boans, one of the leading members of the "Old Homestead" company was stricken with paralysis at Cincinnati Sunday night

—A D Smith, of St Paul, lowered the world's skating record for twenty five miles by Donaghue nearly two minutes His time was 1 39 57

—The Big Four switchmen, on strike at Springfield, O, declared the strike off Sunday and with a few exceptions made application to be reinstated in their old places

—James Casey, the town clerk of Tralee Ireland, got into a quarrel with Whelan, the rate collector, in the board room and shot him fatally. The affair caused intense excitement

—Senator Morgan, of Alabama one of the representatives of the United States in the Behring sea court of arbitration is lying ill at the Southwestern hotel in Southampton, England

—Pope Leo is gratified by the offer of American Catholics to give Mgr Satolli a residence in Washington as a present in honor of the pope s episcopal jubilee, and his holiness will send his benediction to the donors

—Mrs Fernand, of Bellingham, Minn, was crushed to death in a rear end collision at that place Sunday, the car in which she had just taken her seat being telescoped Fire broke out and the cars of the wrecked train were soon destroyed

—A project having for its object the construction and equipment, with private capital, of the long talked-of ship canal between Lake Erie and the Ohio river, is receiving the serious consideration of well-known Pittsburgh (Pa) capitalists, as well as financiers from other large business centers.

The Ex-President at Home.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 7.—The ex-president and his daughter and grandchildren spent most of yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Harrison's grave, in Crown Hill cemetery. In the evening a reception was tendered him by the people at the capitol building, and so great was the crush the capacity of the great structure was tested.

Addresses of welcome were made by Gov. Matthews, Mayor Sullivan and Hon. C. W. Fairbanks, and eloquently responded to by Mr. Harrison.

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A Young Man Who Knew Too Much Done to Death

AND HIS BODY THROWN INTO THE RIVER

One of the Murderers, Who Are All Suspected of Train Robbery, Captured—His Story of the Crime and Its Motive.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 7.—John Farrell, in jail at Somersville, charged with murdering Tom Woods, made a confession Sunday of one of the most cold-blooded murders ever committed in this state. The day before Christmas Tom Woods, a prosperous young white man, disappeared. Bob Burnett, Alf Chambers, John Farrell and a man named McCurley left the country. Before going Farrell said Woods' body could be found in Wolf river. On January 28 the river was dragged, and the body was found tied to a plow, and there was a bullet-hole in the neck. Farrell was captured and Sunday gave the details of the murder. He said that Bob Burnett informed him that Woods had attempted to outrage his sister and also assaulted Burnett's wife It was agreed to kill him. Farrell invited Woods to attend a party at Chamber's house. Woods, Alf. Chambers, John Farrell, McCurley and Burnett started for Woods' house together. They informed Woods that they intended to throw him in Wolf river. Woods begged to be hanged or shot. He was put on a mule in front of Farrell and taken to a bridge over the river. A fire was made and Woods was given ten minutes to pray. He attempted to escape but was shot by Burnett, but not badly wounded. He pleaded again to be hanged, but the party lashed him to a plow and threw him from the bridge, saw him sink, went to Chambers' house and passed the night in a wild frolic

In a few days all left the country. The real cause of the murder is thought to be the fact that Woods knew too much about a train robbery the party was engaged in at Moscow a few days before his death. All of the prisoners implicated are young men and well connected. The confession created considerable excitement. The others implicated by Farrell are in Texas

VICAR-GENERAL BRADY.

Sudden Death of a Worthy but Much-Maligned Priest.

ST. LOUIS, March 7.—Vicar-General Philip F. Brady died at St. John's parochial residence, 1519 Chest street, some time between 12 and o'clock yesterday morning. The or person present at the time of his demise was his sister, an aged woman who acts as his housekeeper. About 2 o'clock Father Coffey, the assistant pastor, was aroused by Miss Brady, who told him to hurry down stairs, as she thought Father Brady was dying. He donned his cassock quickly, but when he reached the chamber the sufferer was dead Father Coffey pinched his cheeks, but they were cold He called to him, tried stimulants, but nothing could bring the slightest sign of life. He concluded that his superior must have been dead for over half an hour



Vicar-General Philip P. Brady.

Rev Father Coffey, first assistant pastor of St. John's church, was seen yesterday morning. He said: "Father Brady died suddenly. At what time I do not know, but think about 1 o'clock. I was called after 2 o'clock and when I reached his room the body was cold I hardly believed that he was dead. I think that Father Brady died of apoplexy Friends of Father Brady often said that he would die suddenly and of apoplexy Up to the time of his death I had not seen him since last Saturday week. He was obliged to take to his room last Thursday. He suffered very much from coughing spells. Sometimes we thought that he would die in one of these attacks. He had one of those spells yesterday Dr Gregory was here yesterday morning and he was very much surprised I myself have been up since I was notified of his death. I have been busy sending telegrams to his friends."

The dead vicar general was seen this morning in the room where he lived. The body had been removed from the small bed to a low settee. It was not laid out, but was garbed in plain woolen underclothes. A sheet covered the trunk and limbs, and a handkerchief saturated with camphor concealed his face. The features were well preserved. There was no subsidence of the cheeks, and the usual ghastly pallor was absent On the contrary, the face was full and lifelike, except for a yellowish cast under the eyes.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. E H. Gregory decided to issue a certificate ascribing the cause of death to suffocation caused by throat trouble

It was said that the coroner might have to hold an inquest over the remains of Father Brady, beause the dead priest had not been seen by his physician, Dr. Gregory, for some days. But Coroner Frank said this afternoon that he would not interfere.

HIS MENTAL STRUGGLE

Vicar-General Brady worried greatly over the opposition and criticism which the coadjutorship agitation brought out against him. A close friend of the dead priest said yesterday morning: "Say what you may, Father Brady died of a broken heart. From the time this coadjutorship agitation arose he has never known a peaceful moment. He looked for the position as the crowning reward of years of faithful service. He could have stood the disappointment of loss of the office, but what wounded him to the quick was the bitterness with which he was assailed by those who wished to deprive him of the honor. He was a sensitive, warm-hearted man and think of the wound it inflicted on him to have his fellow priests send on to Rome a statement that he was unfit through lack of education, manner and person to fill the office of bishop. He was not thick-skinned, and that statement stung him to the quick. It prayed on his mind and broke him down. He has spoken to me of these petitions, and the tears streamed down his cheeks. Whatever physical ailment was the immediate cause of death was the result in my mind of the mental state which this coadjutorship agitation produced in him."

Chatting one day with a representative of the press about the priests' petition which had been sent on to the archiepiscopal conference, Father Brady unbosomed himself on the understanding that his remarks were not for publication, as his policy had always been to remain silent under every assault.

"I have always had but one aim in view and that was to do my duty, and to stick closely to business. I have not gone out of the scope of my priestly office to mix in church politics. Hence I feel very much what the priests have done.

"It would have been more becoming had they remained at their homes and churches and attended to the duties of their office. It is the effect which their conduct will have on the public which I deplore more than I grieve over the personal attack which they have made on me. I have always made a steady, uphill fight. For two years after I became a priest I was constantly in the saddle in the swamp region of New Madrid, Mo. From there I was transferred to the Annunciation church in this city. I was young, frail and in anything but robust health, because I had been in the swamp territory. The church had an indebtedness of several thousand dollars hanging over it and I determined to lift the burden. I gave up the parochial residence and went to live in a single room, in order to economize, On the first Sunday of my pastorate I preached a sermon from a Bible text and at the close I shut the book. I told the congregation in deliberate, earnest words that I would not open the Bible to preach from again, until the debt is paid. 'I shall have but one text,' said I, 'and it shall be money, money, money.' At the end of the year the indebtedness was paid. I was then transferred to St. John's church, and, both as pastor and as vicar-general, I have endeavored to do my duty well." He looked at the fire and seemed to be in deep grief.

CUBAN COURTESY.

American Female Baseball Players Come to Grief in Havanna.

HAVANA, March 7.—A serious conflict occurred Sunday at Alemendares which nearly resulted in serious injury to a number of American young women. A party of Americans known as the "American Female Baseball Club," has been going about playing against Cuban clubs and otherwise exhibiting themselves with more or less success. Sunday they were playing at Alemendares, their opponents being a local baseball club composed of young men of a good class. The majority of the spectators were respectable and well behaved, but the attendance also included a share of the lowest dregs of society These latter became irritated at the playing of the American visitors, and some of them claimed to be convinced that it was simply farcical and did not show professional skill. The malcontents clamored loudly for restitution of their money, and at length became so irritated that they broke the seats and the fence around the play grounds This caused general consternation among the female players, and several of them nearly swooned with fright. The mob, encouraged by impunity, attempted to attack the players, who were gallantly defended by the young men of the Cuban Baseball club and by the respectable majority of the spectators All the players, male and female, took refuge in a house. The mob pursued them, and succeeded in obtaining an entrance Then the rioters pillaged the house and succeeded in injuring several of the players, including one of the American females

VANDERBILT MONEY

As a Court-Plaster for a Wronged Wife's Lacerated Feelings.

NEW YORK, March 7 —The action of Mary E Vanderbilt to recover $100,000 damages from Capt. Jacob Vanderbilt was dismissed on consent by Justice Truax of the supreme court yesterday The action was brought for the alleged alienation of affections of the husband, Jacob Vanderbilt. Counsel got their heads together and Mrs. Vanderbilt it is declared, received a check and gave Capt Vanderbilt a release She and Jacob were married in this city in the spring of 1888. Jacob was then a widower with two children. They were married under assumed names as Jacob said he did not want his father to know of the match.

To conceal the marriage Jacob spent part of each week with his parents. He remained away a week in June and came back a changed man, saying his father had learned of the affair. He wanted her to consent to a separation, but she declined She has an action pending against him for a limited divorce.

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THE TROUBLE BEGINS

The New President Beset by Office-Seekers.

FIRST WORKING DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

An Endless Stream of Visitors Winds Its Way Into and Through the White House—Old Friends Recognized in the Throng.

WASHINGTON March 7.—For the second time in his career Mr. Cleveland began to realize yesterday morning the trials and tribulations which beset a new president during the first days of his term. Very fortunately for his physical well being, however, the rest of the intervening Sunday and the exodus on that day of thousands of those who would undoubtedly have thronged to the White House had they remained in town, relieved him to a great extent of the fatigue of the excessive handshaking which fell to his part eight years ago, when there was no Sunday for rest, and the spring-like weather caused many people to extend their visit to Washington, and make the customary pilgrimage to the mecca of the executive mansion. But even as it was, he had no easy day.

In accordance with his usual habit, Mr. Cleveland arose early, and, after breakfasting, went directly to the president's room, where he attempted to dispatch some business. But the crowds of distinguished visitors soon began to storm the doors, and Mr. Cleveland was obliged to forego his work and listen to words of congratulations from governors of states, senators, representatives and a host of others.

Govs. Pattison of Pennsylvania and Northen, of Georgia, each with his staff, were the first callers who saw Mr. Cleveland They were received informally Then came Gov. Peck, the humorous statesman from Wisconsin, and with him the brass-buttoned members of his staff. Gov. Morris of Connecticut came too, with his staff. There were senators and representatives, galore—Mills, of Texas, the author of the famous tariff bill, and Mr. Cleveland's sterling henchman in congress; Butler, of South Carolina, and Palmer, the old war horse from Illinois; Congressman Springer, chairman of the ways and means committee, who, if he retains his chairmanship in the fifty-third congress will be Mr Cleveland's main dependence in carrying out his tariff views. Behind Mr. Springer's pleasant smile and always courteous demeanor, came a delegation from his state. Theodore Roosevelt, civil service commissioner, remained with the president long enough to congratulate him on his civil service reform utterances in his inaugural address Ex-Congressman Frank Lawler, of Chicago, was also among the callers

Shortly after 8 o'clock the brass bands began to play in the vicinity of the White House, and stepping out to their music came many political organizations. The driveway leading to the main doorways of the White House was soon packed with people anxious to shake hands with the president. The Samuel J. Randall club of Philadelphia—100 strong—was the first organization to obtain admittance and its members were mustered in a hollow square in the spacious east room until Mr Cleveland came down stairs. It was not until 11:20 o'clock that he entered the room. He was attired in a black cutaway and dark trousers and looked the picture of good health. It was remarked by many present, who had not seen him more than once or twice in four years, that his appearance was much improved since his official exit from Washington. His face was ruddy, his eye clear and he stood with a firmness that showed him to be a man of remarkable vigor

Squire Wm. McMullen and Congressman McAleer headed the Randalls, and before the band had half finished playing "Hail to the Chief" they had the line started past Mr. Cleveland and out at a convenient window which had been arranged for an exit. Each member was introduced to the president by Mr. McMullen and received a hearty handshake from him.

Congressman Coombs and ex-Congressman Archie Bliss headed the Kings county democratic organization with 400 members and a big band. Then came the Cleveland association from the president's own city—Buffalo, and Mr. Cleveland recognized many of its members, several of them being personal friends

After the clubs came the multitude of the general public. They poured through the main doorway in droves. Two lines of people in double file marched under the portico from noon until 1 o'clock and in through the main doorway, then into the East room past the bowing, smiling, handshaking chief magistrate, around the apartment, and out of the window exit. The lines extended 200 yards beyond the entrance to the White House. For a time they reached down the long driveway and into Pennsylvania avenue. Each person who managed to get into the mansion received a handshake and a smile from Mr. Cleveland and he kept up this monotonous routine until a messenger came to his relief at 1 o'clock and informed him that the World's fair delegation were waiting for him in the cabinet room. Mr. Cleveland left the East room immediately, much to the disappointment of the hundreds who had failed to see him; and these were not pacified by the announcement from the doorkeepers that the president would return at 2 o'clock. Just after his reception of the World's fair delegation, Mr. Cleveland saw Mr T. B. Benedict, of Albany, N. Y., who is understood to be a candidate for his old office of public printer. Mr Benedict is not related to Mr. Cleveland's yachting friend, Mr. E. C. Benedict. He also saw his personal friend, Representative Tracy, of Albany, who was accompanied by Mr. Spratt, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Cholerine in Pennsylvania.

Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholerine, as our physicians called it, in this place lately and I made a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine. P. P. KNAPP, Ph. G.

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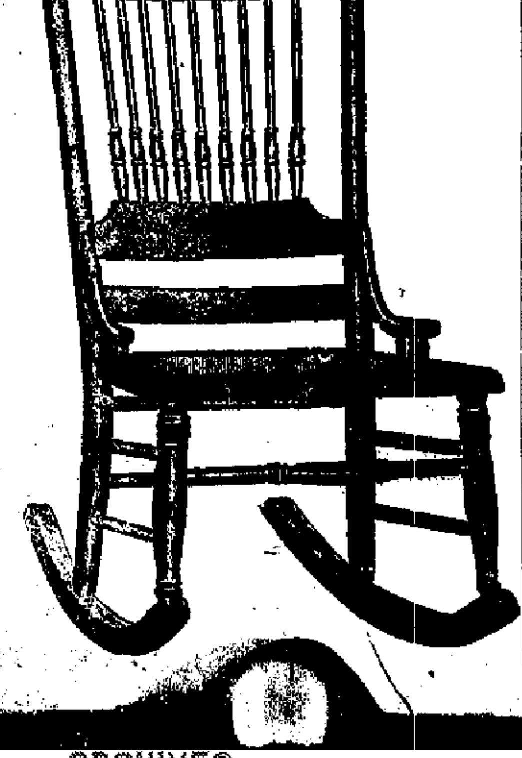
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PROF. LETBIO says the human body is composed of condensed air and gases. This probably accounts for the manner of the average political demagogue.

HON. C. B. FARWELL is prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor of Chicago. Mr. Farwell ought to make a good candidate under such conditions, as the Democrats once supported him for United States senator and the Republicans afterward elected him to the United States senate. And he made a good senator, too.

ST. LOUIS *Globe-Democrat:* Democratic statisticians are figuring out that a duty on tea, coffee and sugar would yield a revenue to the government of from $50,000,000 to $100,000,000 a year, in proportion to the rate of the duty. The Republicans made these articles free, but the Democrats are likely to restore the duty. They will try to do it anyhow. The Democrats you know, are the "friends of the workingman."

LEE MANTLE, who has been appointed, ad interim, United States senator from Montana, the legislature having failed to elect, is scarcely of middle age, but has had an eventful life. Left an orphan in his childhood in Utah, he learned telegraphy, subsequently engaged in the stage-coach business, and at last took up his residence at Butte, of which he was recently chosen mayor. He was twice a member of the Montana territorial legislature, and in the last term of that body was speaker of the house of representatives. He is wealthy, and a bachelor.

CLEVELAND argues against "paternalism"—the benefit of individuals or the people—when he touches pensions and protection; but when he sings the praises of tariff reform and talks about the removal of the burdens from the people and the destruction of trusts by legislation he invokes the same "paternalism" he before condemned. Well, the Democrats are in power and the platitudes of leaders will count for little. What the people want is action. They want to see the healthy growth of our manufacturing and other interests under the "paternalism" shown in free trade. They want to see American wages raised by admitting foreign goods free.

THE address of the National Association of Democratic clubs bears evidence of a loss of faith in Cleveland's honesty of purpose as to tariff legislation. It says "the battle is yet to be won." This means, if it means anything, that they fear Mr. Cleveland proposes to emasculate the Democratic platform declarations as to the tariff. They also state that "with great deliberation and solemn emphasis" the Chicago convention promised the country "a system of taxation looking only to the largest returns of revenue consistent with the widest liberty of trade." This is a reminder to Cleveland that the party stands pledged to the absolute destruction of protection.

THE reception to Ex-President Harrison by his old neighbors in Indianapolis upon his return from Washington and his service to his country as its chief magistrate, was a magnificent compliment to him. Democrats as well as Republicans vied with each other to do him honor. The Democratic governor of the state rode in the carriage with him and placed at his disposal the executive parlors, where a public reception was held. Enough has been done and said since the ex-president has retired from office, by those who were not in party harmony with him and which they, while he held the office refused to say, to satisfy Mr. Harrison and the country that his administration will go down in history as one of the wisest and most profitable administrations the country has ever had.

Talk and Action.

President Cleveland in his message said some very positive things about abolishing trusts, but President Cleveland in action has evidently given trusts and monopolies assurance in the appointment of his Attorney-General that they will not be seriously disturbed. Speaking of this appointment a Boston special says the appointment of Mr. Richard Olney as Attorney-General has occasioned a good deal of criticism on account of his connection with a number of great corporations. He is not only the attorney of a number of the leading railroads, like the Atchison and Burlington, but is also said to be a director of the Burlington as well as general counsel. It is said that he owes his appointment to the influence of men who are prominent in the Bell Telephone company, his business and personal relations being very close with these people. The immense capital stock of the Bell company is owned almost exclusively by Boston capitalists, many of whom are the friends, neighbors and business associates of Mr. Olney. It is furthermore known that the Bell company has recently taken out important patents on applications which have been pending for many years and it is the intention by means of them to keep up their monopoly on the telephone business for about fifteen years after the original Bell patents expire this year and next. The intention of the monopoly is to run until the year 1908. Attorney-General Miller during the last month began a suit in the name of the United States to repeal the most important of these patents, and he is quoted as saying he believes the suit will succeed. There are other Bell patents which it is claimed were illegally issued and which the attorney-general ought to look into with that end in view. As the new attorney-general, Mr. Olney, will have the entire control of the suit which Attorney-General Miller begun and will also have to decide whether other suits are brought, it will at once be seen in what an awkward and disadvantageous position the government will be placed in having as its attorney one who is so intimately connected with the great corporation. It is evident the declarations in the message concerning trusts were made to tickle the fancy of the people and the appointment of the chief law officer whose duty it is to prosecute trusts was intended to satisfy the trusts. Evidently the trusts have the best of it.

Under Two Administrations.

Indianapolis *Journal:* The Republicans turn over to the Democracy a prosperous and united country. When they took the government its 6 per cent bonds were selling at a discount of 12 per cent; now a 3 per cent United States bond would go quick at par. When the Democrats left the government, half the country and the outside world held it in contempt; it is returned to the Democracy with a prestige at home and abroad which none can question, and an authority which is obeyed. It came into Republican hands a broken nation; it is returned to the Democracy the most potential nation on the globe. It came to the Republicans with depressed industries; it is turned over to the Democracy in the full tide of a prosperity such as no other country has ever enjoyed.



ON TRIAL.

That's a good way to *buy* a medicine, but it's a pretty hard condition under which to *sell* it. Perhaps you've noticed that the ordinary hit or miss medicine doesn't attempt it.

The only medicine of its kind so remarkable in its effects that it can be sold on this plan is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. As a blood-cleanser, strength-restorer, and flesh-builder, there's nothing like it known to medical science. In every disease where the fault is in the liver or the blood, as Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, and the most stubborn Skin, Scalp, and Scrofulous affections, it is *guaranteed* in every case to benefit or cure, or you have your money back.

To every sufferer from Catarrh, no matter how bad the case or of how long standing, the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy say this: "If we can't cure it, perfectly and permanently, we'll pay you $500 in cash." Sold by all druggists.

REV. FRANCIS WOLLE, the most widely cultivated Moravian of his day, died at Bethlehem, Pa., last week, aged 75 years. He was an author, preacher, educator, inventor and scientist. He invented the paper bag and the machine to make it in 1852.

You Should Not be Without It.

Every family is liable to have a hereditary taint of consumption in it. It may date back three or four generations. This fact makes it necessary always to have on hand a remedy with which to combat this formidable disease. A cough when taken at first can readily be cured before it gets a serious hold on the Lungs. Ballard's Horehound Syrup when taken in its early stages will cure Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for and affection of the Throat, Lungs and Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of the Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc. It is pleasant to take, perfectly safe and can always be depended on. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 3d&w

EX-GOV. GOODELL of New Hampshire has prepared a bill to strengthen the prohibitory laws of that state by prohibiting the manufacture of liquor.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day; and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

MR. GLADSTONE recently stated that not only local option but Sunday closing of saloons is now receiving consideration by Her Majesty's government.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man,

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. HERBINE will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottles at Swearingen & Tyler's. d&w

SIXTEEN University of Virginia men are in the present congress. Four of them are in the senate division.

BAD complexion indicates an unhealthy state of the system. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pills that will correct this condition. They act on the liver, they act on the stomach, they act on the bowels. W. F. Neisler.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf

"The Pace That Kills"

is overwork—

makes no difference what kind. Using greasy and inferior soaps is one road to premature decay—sore hands—sore hearts—clothes never clean. Not so when

KIRK'S AMERICAN FAMILY SOAP

is used. Cheerfully proceeds the labor of wash-day with health and long life assured. Hands all right—hearts light—clothes pure and white as a Greenland snowdrift.

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Dusky Diamond Tar Soap. Makes the Skin Soft and Smooth.

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Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

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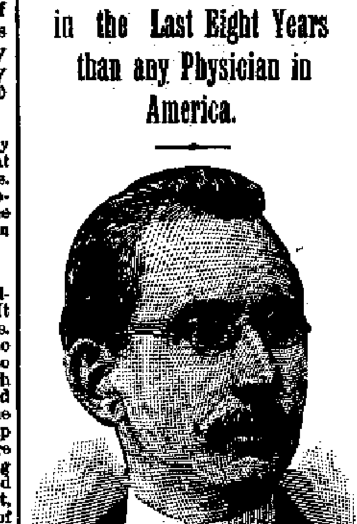
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Treats all curable medical and surgical diseases, Acute and Chronic Catarrh, Diseases of the Eye and Nose, Throat and Lungs, Dyspepsia, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidneys, Liver, Bladder, Chronic, Female and Sexual Diseases.

Epilepsy or Fits Cured. A Positive Guarantee.

YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED MEN

Suffering from Spermatorrhea and impotency the result of self-abuse in youth or excess in mature years and other causes, producing some of the following effects as emissions, blotches, nervousness, dizziness, confusion of ideas, aversion of society, defective memory, and sexual exhaustion, which unfit the victims for business or marriage, are permanently cured by remedies not injurious.

Blood and Skin Diseases.

Syphilis and complications, as sore throat, falling of the hair, pain in the bones, eruptions, etc., are perfectly eradicated without using mercury or other injurious drugs. Gonorrhea, gleet, strictures and all urinary and kidney troubles are speedily cured by treatment that has never failed. He undertakes no incurable cases, but cures thousands given up to die. Remember the date and come early, as his rooms are always crowded wherever he stops.

Consultation Free.

Correspondence solicited and confidential. Address Dr. D. D. Rea, No. 275 South State Street, Chicago, Ill.

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Redemption Notice.

To Thomas Wagenberger and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1891, for the taxes for the year 1890, including interest, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot, situated in said county, to-wit: Lot 23, block 1, Southeastern addition to the city of Decatur. The same was assessed and taxed in the name of Thomas Wagenberger, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1893.

mar1-d3t J. N. BILLS.

Notice to Holders of Time Warrants.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } To whom it may concern.
COUNTY OF MACON }

Notice is hereby given to present for payment at the County Treasurer's office in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the 20th day of March, 1893, all outstanding time warrants issued in part payment for the construction of a court house in said county. Interest on said warrants will cease from and after that date.

H. C. MONTGOMERY, County Treasurer.

Decatur, Illinois, February [illegible]

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. ONE NIGHT.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8.

A HOME PICTURE FRAMED IN FUN.
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A guaranteed attraction directed by Edward Kaufman.

Prices—25, 50 and 75 Cents.

Reserved seats on sale at the Opera House drug store three days in advance.

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Deep Human Interest and Bright Comedy

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT.

Saturday, March 11.

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—AIDED BY—

Joe Cawthorn and Maurice Darcy

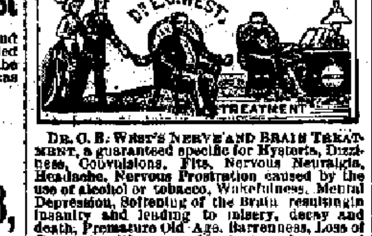
And a Superb Cast, in Charles T. Vincent's Jolly Play,

Miss Dixie

PRICES: 25c, 50c 75c; Parquet, $1.

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to cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with $5.00 we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by A. J. Blain, druggist, 230 North Water St., Decatur, Illinois. mar24-d&wtf

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Emaline B. Wilson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Emaline B. Wilson, late of the county of Oldham and state of Kentucky, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the May term on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1893.

feb21-d3w LOWBER BURROWS, Executor.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

To the heirs and creditors of the estate of E. F. Delbridge, sr., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 27th day of March, 1893, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will present his final report to the county court at Decatur, Ill., and ask to be discharged, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

m6-d2w R. H. WOODCOCK, Administrator.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order issued from the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to sell real estate to pay debts, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Casper Burg, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, at the hour of 10 a. m., on Saturday, April 1, 1893, the following described premises to-wit: Lot seventeen of block one, in James A. Steele's addition to Macon, Macon county, Illinois. Terms cash. Sale of said premises being in fee absolute, subject to the approval of said county court.

Dated at Macon, Ill., this 24th day of February, 1893.

f27-d4w HIRAM A. KITCH, Administrator.

BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

IF YOU USE TABLEWARE, see Aluminum Silver—solid metal goods, equal to solid silver in finish and durability, at one-eighth the cost. The Western Aluminum Silver Co., L. C. BOGART, Act., Hotel Long. m6-d1w*

MAY'S COMPOUND is an infallible remedy for Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Bilious and Cramp Colic, Diarrhea, Dysentery, and for all Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Directions—For adults, one-half teaspoonful. For children, from 10 to 20 drops. For infants, as many drops as they are months old. To be taken in hot, sweetened water. Shake well and keep well corked. Dose can be repeated. SAMUEL MAY, residence 342 North Monroe St., Decatur, Ill. Price 50 cts. m6-d1m

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework and cooking; no washing or ironing or children. MRS. S. BURGESS, 225 North Edward St., city. m4-d6

LOST—A pocket ledger, which the finder will please return to DR. N. D. MYERS, in the Syndicate Block. m4-d6

FOR SALE or exchange for city property—40-acre farm in Southern Illinois. Address P. O. Box 337, Decatur, Ill. m2-d1w*

WANTED—At the Hotel Long, four dining-room girls. Apply at the hotel at once. 2-d6

LOANS—Insurance written at lowest current rates and in reliable companies—Wm. M. Baldridge, real estate broker, 146 East Main street. Makes a specialty of real estate and insurance. m1-d1m

A FINE FARM FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—160 acres just ¾ of a mile from a good town of 1,400, fenced all around with hedge; 5-room house, not very good; fair barn and outbuildings; 70 acres in wheat—goes with the farm; 30 acres in wheat, rented for one-third at the station—rent goes to buyer. A beautiful piece of land, gently rolling brown loam soil, and we will sell it for the next 10 days at $62.50 per acre; $6,000 can run for 4 years at 7 per cent. or all can be paid. We are going to sell this farm at once, and if you want it come and see us. KIRK & TWADELL, over the Trunk Factory. m1-d&w1w

SEALED BIDS—Proposals for building of front stone or concrete walks in front of the Macon County Court House will be received by the Building Committee at the office of W. H. Starr, 333 North Main street, Decatur, up to and including Tuesday, March 14, 1893, at 4 o'clock p. m. A copy of the specifications for said work can be had on application at the above office. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. W. H. STARR, Chairman Committee on Public Buildings. feb28-d2w

FOR SALE—A span of good, young, large mules. Inquire at 600 West Decatur street. mar1-d1w-w2t* H. M. GLEASON.

NOTICE—J. H. Pifer, the cobbler, is now at 117 West Main street and would be glad to see one and all. Work guaranteed satisfactory. f28-d5*

FOR SALE OR TRADE for farm or city property—Fine stock of groceries; good location with established cash trade. Will give buyer a bargain if taken soon; also a four-ton scales at a sacrifice. Call on D. M. GARVER, 241 East Main St. f28-d1w*

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A sorrel pony with bald face, 3½ years old. Disappeared Feb. 24th from 1318 East Orchard street. Pony had on halter when he left. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of pony, or for information which will lead to his recovery. Inform RUDOLPH FLECHT, at 1318 East Orchard. f27-6*

C. A. FOSTER—Teacher of piano playing, high grade instruction, elementary and advanced. Endorsed by distinguished artists. Office (March 1) and music room over Dr. Waltz dental parlors, North Main street. 27d1m

TENANTS WANTED—Early in the spring I will erect a double one-story store building on the corner of North Water and King streets, 40x60 feet in size. Good tenants wanted. Apply to HENRY BAUER on East Main street. f27-d1w

WANTED—To sell barn and livery stock and dray line, all or part, by the first of April. Inquire at 235 North Jackson St. AMOS SHISLER. f24-d3w*

FOR SALE—We will offer 21 lots in Enterprise Addition for a few days, either single lots or all together, on very easy terms and at prices that will surprise you. Look into this at once.

We have 50 lots in all parts of the city, on easy terms. A fine 5-room cottage on corner of King and Union streets; new barn, good well, a very convenient home for sale cheap.

We have for sale 10 splendid farms in Macon, Moultrie and Christian counties, near railroad and market. Good improvements.

We want to loan $50,000 on farms in Macon county.

We want to trade a good stock of general merchandise in good town near Decatur for farm or city property.

We want to trade a good young mare for lot or on a place of three or four rooms.

We have for rent four good rooms in center of business. City water in rooms.

Come and see us at 300 N. Water St. Open evenings until 8 p. m. Phone 273.

feb23-d2w KIRK & TWADELL.

FOR SALE—Fire-proof Safe at a bargain. 135 South Water street. GEO. M. WOOD. feb23-d4w

FOR SALE—Good horse, 5 years old, weighing 1200 pounds. Inquire of GRINDOL & SON. feb2-dtf

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargains in second-hand goods.

aug28-dtf WALKER & CHANCE, 135 and 137 North Main St.

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THE DECATUR NURSERY will save you 50 per cent. on trees, small fruit and other plants. All stock guaranteed. Don't be misled by foreign agents. Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, near fair grounds, Decatur. feb2-d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN—At 6 and 6 per cent on business, residence and church properties; also on improved farms throughout the state. Farms for sale or exchange in all parts of the county. Correspondence solicited. Central Illinois Loan and Real Estate Agency, Decatur, Ill. 223 North Water street. jan12-dtf

COMPETENT Spanish teacher. Address No 343 West Macon street, Decatur, Ill. jan26-dtf

HOUSE CLEANING — Headquarters for House cleaning, Wall Paper cleaning, and Upholstery of all kinds at 152 East Prairie St.—upstairs. Montgomery & Hammons. Satisfaction guaranteed. dec21tf

FOR SALE—A first-class milch cow. Apply to J. T. Ivens at 1005 North Main street. 15dwtw

LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls, frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN, Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store. f25-dtf

FRANK BICKES & BRO.—Contractors and builders of Artificial stone. Plain and ornamental sidewalks a specialty. Will make estimates on building stone, etc. Address, Bickes & Bro., 1345 or 738 East Eldorado street, Decatur, Ill. mch18-dtf

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE—For sale, at from $275 to $300, ten choice lots in Powers' addition, near the new school house. mch31-dtf JOHN A. BROWN.

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CHICAGO SECOND HAND STORE—All kinds of Oak Stoves at half price. All kinds of Cook Stoves at bargains. Parlor stoves from $3 up; chairs 25c; beds, wardrobes, lounges, parlor suits, bedroom suits. All goods at rock bottom prices, and everything bound to sell. LUDWIG SCHEURMANN, Manager. East Main St. opposite Bachman Bros. s24tf

W. A. BOYD—House and Sign Painter. Graining, Calcimining and Paper-hanging, 147 South Water St. Satisfaction guaranteed. july28-dtf

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received up to 11 o'clock a. m. March 13th, at the office of the County Clerk for the construction of the stone piers and wing walls for a bridge across Mosquito Creek, 2½ miles south of Boody. Specifications are on file with County Clerk George P. Hardy. A bond will be required from the successful bidder. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A. H. COPE,

mar6-d6d For the Committee.

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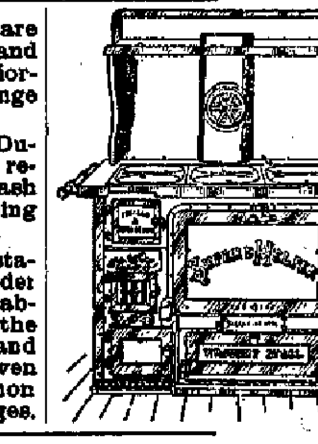
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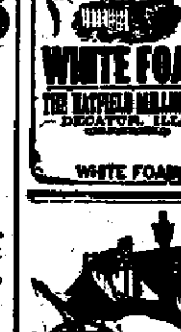
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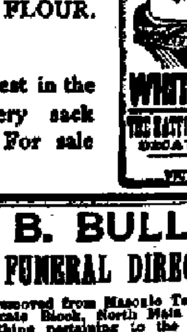
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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

TO-NIGHT Rev. Baker will preach at the Church of God

CHOCOLATE ice cream soda at Irwin's.

"ZEB" to-morrow night at the Grand. You should be there.

THE best Steel Range in the city at Bachman Bros & Martin Co. 28-d6-w2

HAND-MADE wall paper received this week at Conklin & Housum's

"EL SELLO"—Key West cigar—5 cents straight—West's Lincoln Square Pharmacy.

DRINK iron phosphate at Irwin's fountain

THE revival at the Presbyterian church at Lincoln has closed There were 25 conversions.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's.

THE popular comedy, "Z b," will be at the Grand to-morrow night Don't miss this play

NEW attendants at the Linn & Scruggs store are Miss Ida Reeme, Ed. H Adams and Henry Goeggel

THE Presbyterian Endeavor society will give a social next Thursday evening at the residence of R P Lytle

Piles of people have piles, but De-Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them W F Nesler.

SELECT family groceries, choice fruits and fresh country butter at John L. Hanks' store, 143 South Water street

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

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THURSDAY night will be ladies' night at the Decatur club rooms Six-hand euchre will be the feature of the evening. Play will begin at 8 o'clock

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A LITTLE ILL, then a little pill. The ill is gone, the pill has won DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills W. F Nesler.

THE funeral of Mrs Julia H Shulke, who died of dropsy, aged 61 years, at 1143 East Condit street, took place this afternoon from St Johannes Lutheran church

REV JAMES MILLER will go to Danville to-morrow to preach the funeral of Prof John B Peckham, who died Sunday morning. He was a musician and had resided in Danville ten years The Masons and Odd Fellows will have charge of the funeral

SUNDAY night burglars were prowling around on North Edward street, making efforts to enter the homes of M Eichinger and C. A Pollock. The police were informed of the presence of the would-be robbers in that vicinity by Henry Gurndt of the street car line, and they scared the thieves away

THE most intelligent people of our community recognize in DeWitt's Little Early Risers pills of unequaled merit for dyspepsia, headache and constipation. Very small, perfect in action W. F Nesler

THE editor of the Oakland *Ledger* is praying for spring to open up as he says the price of meat, lard, vegetables and all kinds of merchandise is now so high that the problem of high living is a serious and difficult one, but he says there is no corner on greens and thinks if he can worry through until they come on he will be safe

PROPER action was taken by the town board yesterday to have the Decatur and Monticello railroad bonds refunded at 5 per cent payable in fifteen years The bonds are for $25,000 The proposition to refund the bonds at the lower rate of of interest will be submitted to a vote of the people on April 4 Everybody should vote for the proposition.

EVERYONE *uses glass* tumblers, and everyone will make the mistake of a whole year who misses our Glassware Sale Our Special Sales are put on at such low prices that they make you buy Read our large ad on the subject.

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FANNY RICE the actress, had a picnic in Pekin. She wanted to take her big Newfoundland dog into her sleeping room at night and the manager of the hotel would not allow it. She was occupying the bridal chamber at the Woodward and the hotel man did not think it ought to be occupied by a dog at the same time So Fanny moved to another place where they did not object to dogs.

MISS NELLIE CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

A REVIVAL meeting has been held at the M. E church at Blue Mound for the past three weeks, conducted by Rev T. J. Davis, of Carbondale, Ill It was by far the most powerful religious awakening the town ever experienced. There were about 60 conversions, and 49 united with the M. E church. A beautiful organ—a "Vocalion"—costing $450, has been bought and paid for by the church within a year. The cause of religion is wonderfully advanced at Blue Mound. and the town is rejoicing in consequence. Rev. H. C. Turner is the pastor of the church.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Democrats Object to the New Boundaries,

But are Knocked Out on the First Round by Repealing the Rules —Other Business.

The city council met last night. All were present except Hubert.

The petition presented by the W C. T U., asking that all screens be removed in all saloons, was received and referred.

The petition of Samuel May to peddle May's Compound was referred to the mayor.

C H Dawson was granted a druggist's permit.

A petition from property owners on North Monroe and North College streets, asking the council to reconsider its action by which a sewer was ordered between those streets,was laid on the table.

A petition from certain citizens on East William street against paving the same,was referred to the public improvement committee.

By request the dram shop license of Michael Witt was transferred to John Levens.

Several persons on West William street asked that the paving to be put on that street be extended to the west line of Millikin Place. The request was granted.

REPORTS FOR FEBRUARY

Waterworks—Gallons water pumped, 56 millions, coal used, 220 tons, electric light, 260 hours.

City Marshal—Arrests, 56, fines assessed, $389, fines collected, $270 70

The street superintendent reported $187 06 expended for labor and 55 feet of lumber used.

City Treasurer—Receipts, $8 568 58, warrants paid, $4 859 14, balance $495 01 The following balances were reported, Sinking fund, $3,777 57, street paving fund, $9,242 82, library fund, $2,572 33, waterworks improvement fund, $33,-625 14

The petition of West Decatur street people for a pavement was granted.

A committee appointed to investigate complaint that street car company was not complying with requirement of the ordinance as to the street car service on East Division and North Broadway reported that the street car company was doing all it could under adverse circumstances to comply with the ordinance and serve the people, and that when it had failed it was through no fault of the company. The company promised better service in the spring, and at that the matter was allowed to rest for the present after adopting a resolution by Alderman Shade that the company should give the North Water street people a better service

The ordinance to pave West William street was taken up, and, after amending it so as to extend paving to Millikin Place, was adopted

THE WARD BOUNDARIES

The ordinance fixing new boundaries, which was in conformity with the report of a committee from the council, submitted at a preceeding meeting of the council, and agreed to and the city attorney ordered to prepare an ordinance embodying the apportionment recommended by said committee, was taken up, whereupon Alderman Head, a Democratic member of the council, discovered that the proposed division did not suit his party and objected to the suspension of rules for the purpose of passing the ordinance On the question of suspension the yeas were 9, neys 4 Deitz, Hall, Head and Watkins, all Democrats, voting against suspension. Under the rules which require a two thirds vote of all the aldermen elect to suspend the rules, the motion to suspend was lost. Alderman Head assuming that the ordinance if passed at the next regular meeting, could not for want of time apply to the coming election, proposed to move a reconsideration in case the council would consent to amend the ordinance by changing the proposed boundary line between the First and Fifth wards Then Watkins wanted some other change, both of which propositions were purely partisan and made the vote in each ward disproportionate Alderman Shade then offered a resolution in the spirit of compromise embodying Watkins' proposition that the west line of the Sixth ward be made Water street. This was adopted, but on the question of suspension of the rules to pass the ordinance,amended as proposed, the four Democrats again voted against suspension, and the matter was dropped.

Ordinances for paving North and South Pine street, Mason street, North and South Edward street, and North Monroe street from Eldorado to Main, were read and adopted under a suspension of the rules

An ordinance for paving North and South College street was read, but there being a protest from some citizens against the paving the ordinance and protest were referred to the public improvement committee.

RESOLUTIONS

By Twelve Aldermen That Union street sewer be extended north on Monroe street to Edmund and east on Edmund street to the alley between Edward and Union, and that the same paid for by general taxation and the improvement be one of the first to come from the next appropriation Referred.

By Montgomery That the clerk make settlement and pay parties holding local improvement vouchers which have been lost or destroyed, upon said owner furnishing the necessary proof of such voucher being lost or destroyed Adopted

By Seeforth· For a 5-foot brick walk on East Decatur street between Water and Main streets Adopted

By Montgomery That the mayor execute to P Loeb a quit claim deed for property on East North street for the purpose of establishing a boundary line Adopted

By Cope· That the attorney draft an ordinance for widening West Decatur street from Power avenue to South Monroe street. Adopted.

By Cope. That the engineer establish a street grade upon the street running immediately north form South Union street and extending from Wood to Main street Adopted.

By Shade and Seeforth That persons using East Main street as a hay market be arrested Adopted.

By Bramble: That the street superintendent be instructed to remove the lamp post at Cheap Charley's corner. Adopted.

A resolution was introduced and passed authorizing the city attorney to draw an ordinance dividing each ward into two voting precincts

RESCINDING THE RULES

Alderman Shade moved that the rules of order under which the council is working be rescinded, which was carried by a vote of 9 to 4; Head, Deitz, Watkins and Hall, Democrats, voting nay. This action was taken with a view of preventing the four kickers from defeating under this rule nine other aldermen in the passage of the New Ward Boundary ordinance. This was the proper thing to do, and will defeat the scheme of four partisans to defeat the will of nine other aldermen who are proposing to make a fair division of votes in the several wards The kickers were not looking for this turn of affairs and they would not have been more surprised had a cyclone struck them.

A motion to adjourn was then made and lost, but after some unimportant business the council adjourned.

The rules having been rescinded the council can now pass an ordinance at any time according to the spirit and provisions of the statutes of the state. It is a question whether the rule was ever legal, from the fact that the statutes provide that a majority of the members can pass an ordinance and this rule practically annuled that provision of the statutes by putting it in the power of a few kickers to prevent the passage of an ordinance when a majority favored it.

CALIFORNIA'S ORANGE CROP.

Very Large, but the Farmers for Some Reason are Holding It Back.

The orange market of Southern California is in a peculiar condition The largest crop on record is on the trees awaiting shipment, amounting probably to 6,500 carloads, against 2 800 last year and 4,600 for the previous season, says the San Francisco *Chronicle* Only a few hundred carloads have been shipped so far

It has been reported that there is a combine among southern California orange growers to hold their crop for $3 a box This is only true to a limited extent There is no general combination among growers Local unions have been formed in several localities to maintain prices and facilitate shipments, but these only represent a portion of the crop and do not work in unison The most important of these unions is that of Riverside, which represents seven-eighths of the crop of that place, or about 1,700 boxes The rest of the crop controlled by local organizations will probably bring up the aggregate so held to about 2,500 boxes, or less than half the total crop.

Buyers are holding off, being unwilling to consign, while the eastern purchasers are not inclined to risk buying The weather in the east has been very cold, and there is still a large quantity of good Florida fruit to be shipped, hence there is at present a sort of deadlock Local firms are offering for choicest Riverside navels $3 per box at this shipping point and lower, according to quality, and for ordinary San Gabriel Valley navels $1 75 is about the best price obtainable, which does not satisfy the growers.

Big Failure at Assumption.

The town of Assumption, 20 miles south of Decatur on the Illinois Central railroad, is stirred from center to circumference by a big failure in business Orville Overholt, who has been the lumber merchant there for 20 years, has made a voluntary assignment for the benefit of his creditors The assignee is J W Craig bookkeeper for Overholt. Liabilities, $27,000, assets, $37,000. The failure was a great surprise, as everybody believed that Overholt was solid financially He is a bachelor and has always been regarded as a safe and reliable business man Besides the lumber interests he is the owner of 20 or 25 dwelling houses and various lots in Assumption. It is stated that if it had been known that Overholt was pressed for cash, several friends would have come to his assistance. One farmer who had already loaned the lumber dealer $4,000, said he was willing to put up any amount to save Overholt. It is said that one of the Assumption banks is stuck for $10,000

The Shakespeare Class

Yesterday afternoon the members of the Shakespeare class gave a spirited entertainment at the Woman's club assembly room, which was crowded to the doors Mrs Walston, the class president, presided There was a lesson on parliamentary rules which afforded no little fun and gave the members valuable pointers how to organize a meeting properly With Mrs Badenhausen as chairman and by motions and crossmotions, it was impossible to accomplish anything. Finally Mrs Walston was elected permanent chairman, and then in a very brief period of time everything went smoothly and the organization was effected Miss Mary Reed, a near relative of Mrs Edwin Philbrook, gave a pleasing recitation which won her an encore, to which she responded, She was presented with a bunch of flowers The entire entertainment was voted one of the best of the winter

Painfully Burned

Mrs. George Keller met with an accident yesterday afternoon at her home on Spring avenue. She was engaged in cleaning a piece of silk with gasoline and unfortunately got too near the grate fire The inflammable fluid caught fire and befor the flames could be extinguished Mrs Keller was painfully burned about the face and hands.

Births

Born, to Mr and Mrs Geo W. Travis, at their home, No 838 North Jasper street, March 8, a son

Born, to Mr and Mrs J E. Murray, 1338 North Church street, March 6 a daughter—weight 11 pounds.

Born, to Mr and Mrs Frank L Stevenson, on Friday, March 3, a daughter

Cut Glass

Today begins our Special Sale of Cut Glass We place in our Special Sale our entire line which is the largest in Central Illinois at Prices you cannot afford to pass by. Remember we carry the Finest line made which took the First Prize at the Paris Exposition

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Celestial Lodge Elect Officers.

Celestial Lodge, No 186, I. O O. F, held a meeting last night and elected the following officers. Archie Tuttle, Noble Grand, D. C. Conley, Vice Grand; H. F Ehrman, Rec. Sec., Albert Leech, Permanent Secretary, I. W. Ehrman, Treasurer.

THE breaking up of the winter is the signal for the breaking up of the system Nature is opening up the the pores and throwing off refuse. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is of unquestionable assistance in this operation. W.F. Nesler.

THE STATE GATHERING.

Parade of the G. A. R. at Springfield—Receptions.

The twenty-seventh annual encampment of the Department of Illinois will convene at Springfield March 16. The encampment will be called to order at 10 a. m. in representatives hall for the transaction of such business as may properly come before it.

The parade will form at 9.30 a. m. on Sixth street, fronting the Leland hotel, the right of the column resting on Monroe street The posts will fall in, in numerical order as far as practicable, and escorted by the posts of the city of Springfield and under command of Comrade E A Nattinger, chief of staff, will proceed by the most direct route to the capitol

Representative badges will be ready for issue on the afternoon and evening of March 15, as well as on the morning of the 16th They can be procured at department headquarters, room 4, Leland hotel, from the committee on credentials.

A grand camp fire will be tendered to the representatives of the twenty-seventh state encampment, their families and friends, in representatives hall, state house, Thursday evening, March 16. The comrades of Posts 30, 450 and 578 of the city of Springfield have pledged themselves to afford a pleasant and profitable time to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps and the ladies of G A. R during their sojourn in that city

The ladies of the G A. R. will hold a reception in the parlors of the Leland hotel Thursday evening, March 16, from 7 till 9 o'clock, in honor of their national president, Mrs Carrie V. Sheriff, to which the department and members of the G A R Woman's Relief corps and Sons of Veterans are cordially invited

Power of the Press.

This play of deep human interest, strong in sentiment and scenic effects, will be seen at the Grand on Friday



night. The admirable and striking scenic effects were prepared by Young, Reid, Emens, Mohn and Becker. They include the front of the new Athletic club on Madison avenue, the corridor of the Imperial Hotel, a ship-yard with men at work, a night scene, in which the crew of the "Mary Vale" hoist anchor to the music of their own simple chorus. Nothing more vivid and realistic than this last scene will be witnessed on our stage.

Joseph M Songer for Constable.

Elsewhere in these columns will be found the announcement of Joseph M Songer for constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention Mr Songer has been a citizen of Macon county and of Decatur practically since the close of the war He is a carpenter by trade, but much of his time has been engaged in the hotel business, and at this time he has a real estate office over Millikin & Co 's bank He was a member of Company "H," 104th Illinois Infantry during the war He held the office of constable at one time in Hickory Point township, and it is said made a good one He is a gentleman of good social qualities and is popular with those who know him best Should he receive the nomination he will do all in his power to be elected, and if elected will fill the office well

Stage Notes

Modjeska, who will deliver the oration at the Woman's Auxiliary Congress at the World's Fair, has thus far selected five ladies to give three-minute addresses as representatives of the stage They are Mrs Bowers Clara Morris, Janauschek, Ada Rehan and Georgie Cayvan

Miss Lottie Collins is about to burst on the country in farce. Mr J McNally of Boston is now writing the farce for her

Election

At the meeting of the stockholders of the H W Hill Printing company at the residence of Mr Hill last night the following directors were elected H. W. Hill, J N Hill, T. A Bone, L A Mills, S T. Lowry and John S Bixby The directors elected the officers as follows President, H. W. Hill, vice-president, T A Bone, manager, John N Hill; assistant, S T Lowry, secretary and treasurer, John S Bixby

Funeral of Andrew Dennis.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Andrew Dennis took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the First M. E church, Rev T. A. Parker officiating The interment was in Greenwood The pallbearers were J. B Gorin, George Hiser, George W. Bright, J W. Baker, E. McClellan and A Culp.

New Officers

The Baptist Christian Endeavor society had its semi-annual election of officers last night as follows President, Miss Alberta Davis, vice president, Chris Curtis, secretary, Carroll McIntire; treasurer, Miss Mollie Drobisch. Superintendent of Intermediate Society, Miss Ethel Dimock

The Final for Pupils

J N Donahey, county superintendent of schools, will hold the final examination for pupils in the county at the High School building on Saturday, March 25 There will be 125 to 150 pupils in attendance

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Only a few weeks remain until our remodeled building will be ready. During the short time remaining we will offer the remainder of our stock

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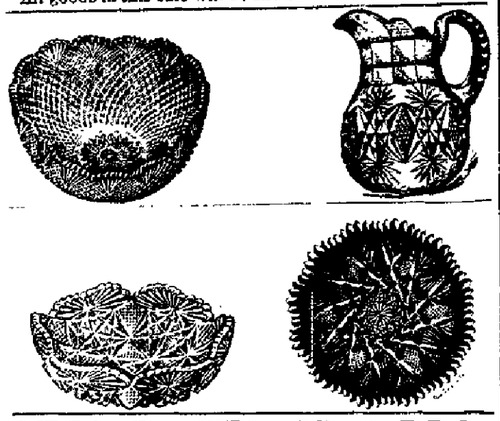


Our third annual SPECIAL SALE OF GLASSWARE will op Mond ay morning, February 27th.

In this sale we will offer our ENTIBE LINE OF CUT GLASS, as well as the less expensive lines of thin and heavy Tumblers, Pitchers, Sugars and Creamers, Rose Bowls, Cake Stands, Sherbet Cups, Sugar Sifters, Vinegar Cruets, Water Bottles, Salts, Syrup Jugs, Butter Dishes, Wine Sets, Water Sets, Whisky Sets, Lemonade Sets, Lawn Tennis Sets, and everything in glassware you ever heard of.

This sale, like all our special sales, will have such merit as regards prices and variety, that you will miss the opportunity of another year if you do not secure some nof thebargains we shall offer.

All goods in this sale will be shown on first floor.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

A TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER
In Prices This Week, at
JOHN FINN'S.

Fancy Japan Rice, per pound,	5c
New Hominy	3½c per lb., 8 lbs. for 25c
Fancy Broken Java Coffee, per lb.,	20c
Good Baking Powder in one lb. cans,	10c
6 lbs. Fresh Rolled Oats for	25c
Choice Lemons, per dozen,	15c
Sweet Chocolate, sold everywhere at 10c per cake, our price,	5c
Premium Chocolate, regular price 25c per cake, our price	20c
3 lb. California Damson Plums, per can	15c
3 lb. California Table Peaches, per can	17c
3 lb. California Apricots, per can,	17c
3 lb. Bartlett Pears, per can,	15c
3 lb. Asparagus, worth 35c per can, our price,	20c

Our stock of Canned Goods and Dried Fruits is one of the most complete in the city.

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+By Celebrated Artists.+

NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED. Prices reasonable. Call and see them.

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GREAT BARGAINS!
WALTER HUTCHIN

Has inaugurated a grand Clearance Sale for the month of March, embracing a full and complete line of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS preparatory to the arrival of an immense stock of Spring and Summer Footgear.

We Must Make Room for ms Big Stock that is in Transit.

We are selling the present stock out at LESS THAN THE RETAILER'S COST. So now is the time to buy, and

+WALTER HUTCHIN'S+
Is the place to buy.

17 NORH WATER STREET,
The Big Shoe.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.
—OUR SYRUP OF—
Tar and Wild Cherry
IS THE BEST REMEDY ON TH E MARKET FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ETC.

KING & WOOD,
Druggists.

TTESDAY EVE., MAR. 7, 1893.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce R. T. LYTLE, as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ANTRIM as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce J. S. COX as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce DANIEL WHITSELL as a candidate for Highway Commissioner, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KESLER as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce ROBERT W. FERGUSON, ("Bob"), as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE F. WICKENS as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM L. RAMMER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. SHOBIS as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN—Please announce the name of A. C. STEVENS as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace for Decatur township, subject to the action of the township Republican convention.

A. C. STEVENS, J. P.

We are authorized to announce Justice P. B. FORVENT as a candidate for re election as Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce J. S. MCCLELLAND as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce J. C. HANE as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce W. A. HOLMAN as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce M. SHEA, pension attorney, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce FRED E. MILLER as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention

We are authorized to announce HIRAM P. DILLHUNT as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH M SONGER as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce HARRY K. MIDKIFF as a candidate for Constable, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. FOOR as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH M. MURPHEY as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce OTTO WILLIAMS as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. STOY as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

We are authorized to announce WESLEY L. JAMISON as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Clerk of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, subject to the action of the Republican township convention. JOHN NICHOLAS.

Decatur, Ill., March 1, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Everything Goes—

Salad bowls, berry bowls, nut bowls, bon-bon dishes, olive dishes, cheese plates, water bottles, water pitchers, cream pitchers and tumblers, all go to our Special Sale on Cut Glass.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

TRY Irwin's ice cream soda.

READ Anstead's ads—first page.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417

TIMES, $3—Hoshaw & Moore, dentists

HIGH art wall paper at Conklin & Housum's.

FRENCH stripes in wall paper at Conklin & Housum's.

A good nerve tonic is celery phosphate, sold at Irwin's fountain.

SMOKE the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are made by Joseph Michl.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

ESPECIAL attention given to physicians' prescriptions at C. H. Dawson's formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

PATRONIZE C. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

SPRING and summer Tan Boots, for ladies, misses and children, now on sale at Powers' Shoe Store. m3-d4wtf

ALL the popular perfumes at C. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, Main and Water streets, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

"Success in Business, Marriage and the Profession" by Prof. Vaught, at the W. C. T. U. Hall, Tuesday night. m6d2t

TELEPHONE to C. N. May in the Syndicate Block, and order *family groceries* to suit you, delivered promptly to any part of the city.

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 248 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

CURE for rheumatism or neuralgia. Buy a 25-cent bottle of Salvation Oil and use it according to directions. It will cure the worst case.

THE fifth grade in the Church street school was dismissed all day yesterday and this forenoon on account of the sickness of the teacher, Miss Nettie Pritchett.

COMMENCING Monday, March 6th, the general sporting goods house of the H. Mueller Gun company will close at 6 o'clock p. m. until July 1st, except Saturday nights. 5-6t

THE Republican primary meeting for Macon township will be held in the tabernacle at Macon at 2 p. m. on Saturday, March 11. Per order of W. R. Willoughby, chairman.

TWENTY fine milch cows with calves will be sold at auction at 10 a. m. at Tom Doake's barn on West Wood street, Saturday, March 11, by A. M. Corn. 7-d8*

WE show the largest line of *cut glass* in the city. The usual extravagant claims of the "crockery" stores are so far from the facts as heretofore. We have all makes and all cuttings. The prize is cut in two during this sale.

QUEEN & CRESCENT Route.

A CASE IN COURT.

Litigation from Macon Against a 'Squire and a Constable.

There was a peculiar case before Justice Shorb this forenoon which was quickly disposed of satisfactorily to the defendants, who are still wondering why they were sued as individuals and not as officers. Some time ago Gus Dorsey, a minor, by his father Alonzo Dorsey, brought suit against James Cook and Oren Cook, in 'Squire Daggett's court at Macon, to recover $27 for labor. Judgment was secured and the execution was issued and handed to Constable Willoughby to serve. The execution was satisfied March 8th by the payment of the claim in full by the Cook brothers. The Dorseys, through some influence at present unknown, became uneasy a week ago and suit was brought against Daggett and Willoughby, individually, not as officials, for malfeasance in office, the amount of damages being placed at $200. Alonzo Dorsey was the plaintiff, not the "People for the use of, etc," which should have been the correct form; and then Daggett and Willoughby were not described as justice and constable respectively, and their bondsmen were not made defendants. The execution was less than twelve days old, and it still had nearly sixty days to run, when the judgment was paid in full. In no way were Daggett and Willoughby derelict in their official duty. On the other hand they were unusually prompt, and the plaintiff got his money quite speedily. When the case came up before Justice Shorb this morning Attorney I. D. Walker appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney A. H. Mills for the defendants. Inasmuch as the action was not in form and further that the execution had been satisfied, Dorsey dismissed the case and the litigation ended without further discussion. 'Squire Daggett said he was satisfied that a certain party at Macon was causing all the trouble.

FIRE AT CLINTON.

John F. Walker's Livery Stable and a Portion of Its Contents Destroyed.

John F. Walker's livery stable at Clinton lies in a heap of smoking ruins. At about 8 o'clock last evening a fire broke out in the office of the barn occasioned, some way, by the turning over and exploding of a lamp. Others say that it was the result of an inordinately hot fire in the stove. The flames enveloped the room and caught the dry hay above. The hose companies were on scene quick, but could not stop the flames licking up the hay. Nineteen of the horses were cut loose and escaped, but seven of the poor brutes were burned in their stalls. The entire outfit of buggies, coaches and grain, also the barn, were insured in the Phoenix, but only a part of the loss is covered. The building was a frame and had been built but a few years on the site of a former one, that also burned. The contiguous buildings were marvelously saved by the firemen. The city council will pass an ordinance against any more frame structures on this site. The loss will be from $5,000 to $8,000.

A Girl in a Trance.

Miss Sadie Spielman, accompanied by her sister, Miss Maud Spielman, went to the United Brethren church last Thursday evening at Rockford to attend revival services. Miss Maud had been attending the meetings ever since they commenced, and they had such an influence over her that she decided to go to the mourners' bench and profess religion. After they had confessed religion and knelt in prayer for a short time the Spielman sisters retired to a pew and were devout in their attention to the religious exercises that were taking place. Shortly before the service closed Maud Spielman slowly slipped from her pew to the floor and would have fallen had not those who were in neighboring pews come to her assistance. Her father was summoned and he took his daughter home. All efforts to revive her have proved to be fruitless. At one time since the strange spell came over her she partially awoke and made an attempt to leave the house, but she was prevented from doing so. Since that time she has been almost lifeless and cannot recognize any member of the family or her most intimate friends. Her eyes are closed and her mouth is partly open. Her cheeks are flushed and every appearance of a person who is sleeping peacefully.

Will Go On the Road.

John L. Murphey, stenographer at the Shellabarger Mill & Elevator company's office on North Water street, will accept a position within a week as traveling salesman for the milling company in the state of Illinois. He succeeds S. D. Smith, who has been in the employ of the Shellabarger company for the past twelve years, and resigned to go into business in Chicago. Charles Peck has resigned his position as stenographer with W. L. Dumont & Co. to succeed Mr. Murphey in the milling office. A Bloomington gentleman will succeed Mr. Peck in Dumont's office.

Bradner Smith Dead.

After three weeks' illness, caused by heart trouble, J. Bradner Smith, head of the firm of Bradner Smith & Co., a large paper house in Chicago, died at his home in that city yesterday morning. He was 76 years old at the time of his death. He was well known in a business way to all printing offices and stationers that bought large quantities of paper.

Apples Are Getting Scarce.

Green apples are beginning to grow a little scarce and the stocks at the commission houses in Decatur are getting thinned out. The supply is ample though yet for all home needs. Those now offered for sale here come from Canada, New Hampshire, New York and Michigan, and sell from $3.25 to $4.50.

Returned from the South.

O. P. Thatcher, who has been in the south for a month past, arrived home last night. He visited in Louisiana, Texas and other southern states, and says that the trees are budding and vegetation is rapidly making progress.

Spring Time Odors.

Onion sets are being offered at the Decatur stores and sell for 25 cents per quart. Last spring they brought 15 and 20 cents, but their scarcity this year makes them high priced.

Don't Miss It.

If you do you will be the loser, for you can get Cut Glass at a price you cannot afford to miss at E. D. Bartholomew's.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Father P. J. Mackin is in Chicago.

Dr. W. J. Chascoweth was in Monticello to-day.

D. C. Moffitt was in Argenta to-day on business.

Joe Perkins is in Sullivan to-day on business.

Mrs. W. Forbes is visiting relatives in Evanston.

Charles Walters is in Danville to-day on business.

Frank W. Anderson is in Omaha, Neb., on business.

Mrs. Ralph Templeton is visiting relatives in Peoria.

J. W. McClellan is in Mowequa today on business.

Mrs. G. C. Kinsman is visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Contractor R. O. Rosen returned today from Taylorville.

F. D. Garver, of Monticello, is in the city to-day on business.

Mrs. M. R. Coutant, of Springfield, is in the city visiting friends.

Dr. J. F. Bad was in Lanesville today on professional business.

S. W. Ottenheimer, of Peoria, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. H. F. Houghton of Defiance, O., is in the city visiting relatives.

Miss Gill of Bradley Bros. has returned from a business trip to New York.

E. L. Martin left to-day for Peoria, Galesburg and Ottawa on business.

James and John Halpin returned today from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. L. J. Cash, of Newman, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Thayer.

'Squire Daggett and Constable Willoughby of Macon were in Decatur today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Fletcher of Mt. Zion were in the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Miss Mary Raeder, who has been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mattes, left to-day for her home in St. Louis.

T. T. Roberts of the Coffin Pastory company, has returned from a business trip to Union, Tenn., where he contracted for a big lot of lumber.

Miss Minnie Bachman will entertain the members of the Camp Betzer camping party next Thursday evening at her home on West Wood street.

A. J. Casno, for *The Chicago Grocer*, is in the city on business. This is the only legitimate grocers' journal published in Chicago, and the paper has a large circulation in this city.

R. T. Allison of this city, will leave for Iowa to-day to look after a section of land he owns in that state. He will be accompanied by Charles Harrah who will do some tiling on the farm.

Springfield *Journal*: Harry Staley, of base ball fame, has gone east and will sign with either the Pittsburg or Boston team. He is holding off for the best terms and will probably be captured by the Bostons.

Attorney A. M. Taylor left yesterday afternoon for Clinton. After a visit of a week in that city he will leave for Great Falls, Montana. He expects to locate in that city and engage in the practice of his profession.

Miss Ida Farmer, who has been in the city for some weeks visiting Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Farmer, will leave to-day for her home in Virden by way of St. Louis accompanied by Mrs. M. H. Farmer, who will visit in St. Louis a few days.

TAKEN TO SPRINGFIELD.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Mercy A. Morgan—The Services.

This forenoon a large company of relatives, neighbors and friends attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Mercy A. Morgan, widow of the late Captain Horace Morgan, which took place from the family residence in St. John's Place. There was a great profusion of floral offerings, tributes of love and friendship. The music was by Miss Ruby, Ralph Templeton, C. N. Brown and R. W. Chilson. The services were conducted by Rev. O. E. Torrey of the first Baptist church, assisted by Rev. M. M. Goodwin of St. John's Episcopal. The funeral discourse was by Rev. Torrey. The pallbearers were George Jenkins, James H. Sears, Frank Wood, J. H. Voss, Daniel O'Brien and W. J. Hardy.

At the conclusion of the services at the residence, the remains were escorted to the depot by a large number of friends. A special train was in waiting, and the funeral party got on board and proceeded to Springfield for the interment of the body in Oak Ridge Cemetery in the Morgan burial lot.

Best Collection on Record.

Tuesday J. P. Dilling, tax collector for Whitmore township, made his settlement with the county treasurer and turned over all the money, minus his commission, which was about $184. The amount assessed for collection was $9742.20; amount collected, $9443 80; amount delinquent, $298.40. This is the closest collection of taxes that has ever been reported, and both Mr. Montgomery and Geo. M. Wood say they never knew of better work being done. Mr. Dilling is entitled to full praise for his close work.

Deaths.

Joseph N. Scott, aged 19 years, died of consumption Monday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. B. Dills, two miles south of Decatur.

The funeral will take place Wednesday at 10 a. m., Rev. Hughey officiating.

Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hartley, died of whooping cough at 836 East Clay street, Monday night, aged 1 year and 6 months. Burial on Wednesday in Long Creek.

ARTICLES of incorporation were filed yesterday with the secretary of state for the Springfield, Jacksonville & Winchester Electric Railway company. The object is to construct an electric railway from Springfield to Winchester via Jacksonville. Capital stock, $3,000,000.

THERE was a yarn on the streets last night that President Cleveland had been assassinated. There was nothing in it. The story was started by a joking operator at Vandalia and reached Decatur through the I. C. office at the depot.

A Broken Arm.

Dot, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mullinix, who resides six miles east of the city, fell last evening and fractured her right forearm. Dr. W. B. Hostetler reduced the break.

BILLY DOWLING was driving a three-year-old Boy Wilkes horse to a cart to-day on Prairie avenue. The animal is a sorrel and a good mover.

THIS forenoon two unknown boys slipped into Cohen & Allen' poultry house office and stole nearly $35 in cash. No arrests.

A LARGE crowd gathered near the post-office to-day to watch a well-known physician in his efforts to master a bicycle.

TRYING TO "DO" HIM.

William Coombs of Mt. Zion too Cute for a Picture Farm.

The other day William Coombs, a farmer of Mt. Zion township, greatly to his surprise, received a postal card from the Crescent Crayon company, Chicago, stating that his order was at hand for a picture and that the portrait would be shipped to him at the earliest possible moment. That was on February 15th. On March 3 Mr. Coombs was told that there was a picture for him in the express office at Mt. Zion, express charges 60 cents. The agent would not allow Mr. C. to look at the picture unless he first paid the 60 cents. This reminded Mr. C. who has been kept informed of the tricks of some sharpers by perusing the columns of the REPUBLICAN, that there must be a catch somewhere in the deal, and that if he accepted the picture and paid the charges, he would sooner or later be called upon to pay a bill of $25 to $50. Mr. Coombs is no sucker, and the picture is still in the Mt. Zion express office, where it will remain until he gets more light in the case. He knows that he gave *no order at any time for a crayon* or any other kind of picture to Chicago parties, and he feels that the Chicago company is trying to come it over him in a way that other sharpers have victimized some of his neighbors and friends.

CHANGE AT JOLIET.

Sensation at the Penitentiary—Non-Sectarian Teachers Put Out.

A telegram from Joliet states that by order of the new chaplain, the Rev. Mr. Stephan, who preached his initial sermon at the penitentiary Sunday the religious instruction given the convicts ceases to be non-sectarian and becomes Lutheran and catholic.

The chaplain informed the Sunday school teachers that their services would terminate with the present Sunday's work, and that "in accordance with the wishes of the professor of the Springfield Lutheran Seminary students will be sent up every Sunday from Springfield to teach the catechism." This announcement was like a bomb-shell among the class and teachers. The teachers have taught six years gratis and are from every church in the city. They have not taught a catechism but have used the international Sunday school lessons. The prisoners in the classes numbered 300. As it now is the Lutheran and the catholic churches have the entire charge of the spiritual welfare of the prisoners and teach not Sunday school lessons but catholicism. Joliet is considerably aroused at the affair and so are the prisoners.

Telephone Patent Expires.

To-day the fundamental patent on the telephone that was issued to Alexander Graham Bell runs out. This is the patent covering the transmission of speech electrically over a wire. At the same time the patent first issued on the receiver will expire, though a second patent was granted on this device January 30, 1877, and that has until January 30th of next year to run. These are not all the patents owned and controlled by the Bell Telephone company which have run out, for February 21st the Blake transmitter, which receives speech and transmits it over the wire and which for many years was operated by the Bell company, became the property of the public. So says a Washington dispatch. But notwithstanding this, officials of the Bell Telephone company declare that the ground upon which that great monopoly stands is no weaker and that it is as able now as ever to maintain its position as controller of the field.

Sales of Real Estate.

Volney Barber to H. McKinley, the west half of the northwest quarter of 22, 17, 3 east—$6,800.

James W. Hass to George Pasfield, the south half of the south half of the east half of lot 2 in block 2 in the original town of Decatur—$7,000.

W. A. Downey to W. M. Yantis, lot 1 of Julia A. Williams' First addition to Decatur—$1,600.

Jason Rogers to Allen J. Jones, the south half of the southeast quarter of 28, 18, 3 east—$3,800.

V. W. Draper to Joseph Winchester, deed to lot 6, Reeves' addition—$1100.

Fred. Norman to Henry Shlaudeman, deed to lot 50x179 feet, in block 2, Martin Freeman's addition—$1250.

L. E. Morse to George Jacobsen, deed to 164.24 acres in 18, 17, 1 east—$10 025.

A. M. Corn to William Mutton, deed to tract of land in 23, 16, 2 east—$1100.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Regular Convocation of Macon chapter, No. 21, R. A. Masons, this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock for work. All companions in regular standing are invited. A. M. WERNER, H. P.

N. L. KRONE, Sec.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 95, this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall. Work in the Third degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us.

E. D. STEELE, N. G.

I. N. MARTIN, Jr., Sec.

A. O. U. W.

Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 324, this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30. Business of importance. A full attendance urged. Visiting brethren made welcome.

ALLEN GRANT, M. W.

O. C. BEAR, Recorder.

Attention, G. A. R.

Regular meeting to-night of Dunham Post No. 141.

Old comrades, remember the Post Room,
And make it your duty to call;
Forget not to-night there's a meeting,
And be at your place in the hall.
Go greet your old comrades with kindness;
Go stand as we stood in the fight,
With touch to the left at the elbow.
Forget not the meeting to-night.

Visiting comrades cordially invited.

NORMAN PRINGLE, Post Com.
JOHN A. REEVE, Adjutant.

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the old stand on North Church street, Decatur, Ill., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 13, 14 and 15. Will buy a car load of horses for the New England market. Want some good blocky ones, from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

m7-d5w1 EDWIN PRATT.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by E. E. Taylor, who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill. March 7, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Jan	65¼	65¾	65¼	65¾
Mar	73¾	73¾	73¼	73¾
May	75¼	77	75¼	76¾
July	75	76¾	74¾	75¼
CORN—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	41	41¾	40¾	41¾
May	42½	44	42¾	43¾
July	44¼	44½	44¼	44⅝
OATS—				
Mar	30¼	30¾	30¼	30¾
May	32⅝	33¼	32¾	33¼
July	....	....	....	....
PORK—				
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	18 25	18 40	18 25	18 37
July	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
May	12 85	12 85	12 25	12 85
July	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
May	10 25	10 37	10 26	10 10
July	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 299; Contract, 67.
Corn, all grades, 286; Contract, 54.
Oats, all grades 186; Contract, 30.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 18,000; 10 lower.
Cattle 6,000; steady.

Wheat advanced ¾c, after a decline of ½, closing ⅛c higher than last night. Corn and oats strong closing ⅛ to ¼c higher.

Puts on May wheat.....74¾
Calls " " 75¾-76
Puts " " corn.....43½
Calls " " 44
Curb; wheat 75¾-76, corn 43¾-44.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 120; Corn, 150; Oats, 120.
Hogs 22,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., March 7, 1893.

The position of the wheat market is unchanged. On lower cables there was some free selling. May opened at 76¾. The high price of money in New York added to the weakness, but on the reaction from 76¾ to 75¾ it was difficult to buy until the highest point was reached. The so-called bull clique have not been prominent either as buyers or sellers to-day. March is the great bull month in the spring, as July is in the summer, and they appear to be willing to take advantage of crop damage and wait until prospects are more positive one way or the other. This market is out of line with Europe as well as with all other markets on this continent. July is getting to be more of a favorite in the pit trading.

In corn the shorts have continued to buy, making three days their purchases have been the principal feature. The cash demand is good for the daily arrivals. The market will need a continuance of buying orders to sustain it on the bulges.

Daily arrivals of oats in good demand.

Provisions very sensitive with a downward tendency of prices. Late bulls show more disposition to sell.

GOV. FLOWER of New York and J. Sterling Morton spent their boyhood days in school together.

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3,000 PAIRS.

In our wholesale house at Chicago and in our retail store at Decatur we have a total of about 3,000 pairs of C. P. Ford & Co.'s shoes for ladies. We want you to know that these shoes are among the best shoes manufactured for ladies' wear. Every one ought to know that. They are made out of prime stock. They are stylish; they are made in the best style by good workmen. They are all right for looks and they are all right for wear. They are sway up good shoe and they are really worth the money for which they are sold at retail. Our shoes of this manufacture are as good as any made. They are worth just as much money as any other goods of C. P. Ford & Co.'s manufacture and every one ought to know that this firm is one of the best manufacturers of ladies' fine shoes in this country. We have these shoes in machine sewed, hand turned and hand welt and hand-turn. They retail regular at $3 for machine sewed, $3.50 and $4 for hand turn, and $3.50 and $4 for hand welt and hand turned. They are worth the money. We cut these shoes to $2, $2.50 and $2.75 for the three kinds. In order to induce as large purchases as possible is th s special line we now intend to offer you the various shoes of this manufacture at $1.75 for machine sewed, $2.25 for other hand turned or hand welt and hand turned. Now it is a fact that the hand turned and hand welt job regular at $2.75, and every shoe dealer in the city could tell you that if he would. But we intend to sell them at the prices which we have quoted, which is 50 cents a pair less than the jobbing price.

DO YOU ASK WHY?

Not that there is anything the matter with the shoes for there is nothing wrong with them. The only reason is that we intend to go out of this line altogether and we propose to make prices that will sell them. No lady in Decatur and no lady in the surrounding towns can afford to let this opportunity slip. They can never again buy shoes at such tremendous reduction and of such uniform good quality, and in every size and width that may be desired. Remember there are 3,000 pairs only and we want to sell as large a number of pairs as possible through our Decatur house because we want to give a benefit to all those who were our patrons in the days before we became wholesalers in Chicago.

DON'T LET THEM BEAR FALSE WITNESS.

It is probably true that every rival shoe dealer in Decatur will have something to say against these shoes now that they cannot meet the prices. It is probably true that every shoe dealer in Decatur may have something to say about the style of our advertising. What do you care? It is the goods at the prices for which you are looking and that is precisely what we are giving you.

THIS SALE TO CONTINUE TILL APRIL 1.

We have so many goods that this sale will continue to April 1. We continue our low price sale on everything in our store. We ask you to note that in some things there are substantial reductions from any prices heretofore made, for instance, Burt & Mears shoes at $1.75 per pair.

+MEN'S SHOES.+

Men's calf shoes, Goodyear hand-sewed, retail regular at $3.50 and $4, cost $2.25 we will sell you one pair or as many pairs as you want at $2.

Men's calf shoes, which retail at $3, cost $2 and $2.25; we will give you one pair or as many as you like at $1.75 per pair.

From the above you have noticed that on goods which we must close out before spring we are actually taking a loss on the retailer's cost price. We wish we could tell you this fact in a way that you would appreciate it to the extent of buying for future use if you have at present all the shoes which you need.

We continue our inbeard of low prices on the James A. Banister and Burt & Mears' Shoes. We want you to buy shoes this month.

$6 FOR $4.75.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, cordovans, regularly sold at $6 and worth the money—in this sale go at $4.75.

$5 FOR $4.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, in fine calf, all styles and sizes, our regular stock, sold by us all the year round at $5.50 and worth the money, but in this sale they go at $4.

$6.50 FOR $1.75.

The celebrated Burt & Mears' Shoes, hand-made and hand-sewed, sold regularly at $6.50. We have only since 6½, 8, 8½, 9½, 10 and 11. If we can fit you, you may have a pair at $1.75. Sizes run large; shoes in congress and button.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Invited to Attend the World's Fair Opening.

THE SCENE OF THE INAUGURAL BALL.

Decided in Favor of the Miners—Reassembling of the Supreme Court—Against the Western Union—A Biography of Blaine.

The President Formally Invited to Attend the World's Fair Opening.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—President Cleveland's first official invitation was extended to him yesterday afternoon. It came from the World's fair commissioners and directors, and was presented, according to previous arrangements, in the cabinet room at 10 o'clock. There were present from the committee on public ceremonies P. A. B. Widener, chairman; B. B. Smalley, V. D. Grouer, James Hodges, A. T. Ewing, T. W. Palmer and John T. Dickinson. From the committee on ceremonies of the local World's fair directory, E. F. Lawrence, T. B. Bryan, A. H. Revell, Ferd W. Peck and Benjamin Butterworth. From the national World's fair commission, Vice-President J. R. McKenzie, W. R. Williams, J. T. Harris and R. E. Goddell.

Gen Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., accompanied the committee by invitation and the Chicago congressional delegation were expected to be present, but did not appear.

President Cleveland received the party in the cabinet room. He was attired in a pepper-and-salt suit with a frock coat, and appeared none the worse for his exposure of Saturday. Introductions were made by ex-Senator T. W. Palmer, chairman of the Columbian exposition commissioners.

After all the gentlemen had been greeted—many of them were old acquaintances of the president—Mr. Widener addressed the president, who stood at the head of the table with his his hands on his hips, in an attitude of earnest attention. Mr. Widener said:

"MR. PRESIDENT: It gives me great pleasure, as chairman of the committee on public ceremonies, to extend to you an invitation to be present at and participate in the opening exercises of the Columbian World's fair exposition on the first day of May next. The occasion commemorates the greatest event in the history of the western continent, and tells of the glories of the greatest country on that continent and of the world. It is entirely proper that the opening of the exposition should be formally proclaimed by the president of the United States. The committee desire me to express the hope that Mrs. Cleveland, who will also receive an invitation, may accompany you on that occasion."

President Cleveland's response was entirely informal, and consisted mainly of questions as to the length of the programme, and the time it would be necessary for him to remain in Chicago to perform what was expected of him.

"If I go," he said, "it will be because I deem it a public duty which I ought to discharge. At that time, as you gentlemen are doubtless aware, there will be many matters of public importance to demand my presence here."

President Palmer supplemented Mr. Widener's invitation on behalf of the Columbia exposition and of over 65,000,000 people, every man, woman and child of whom will expect the president to be there.

Mr. Palmer assured the president that his wishes in the matter should be respected and that if it were necessary for him to leave half an hour after the exercises closed, it should be done.

President Cleveland said he would consider the matter and announce his decision in a day or two The committee and gentlemen then shook hands with him and retired

The invitation to the president is on vellum. The first sheet contains the invitation, done in pen and ink, surmounted by a handsome design based upon the figure of the flag, which reads as follows:

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, GROVER CLEVELAND, WASHINGTON, D C — The pleasure of your presence is requested at the opening exercises of the Columbian World's exposition in the city of Chicago on the first day of May, 1893, at 10 o clock a m.

On the second sheet are inscribed the names of the members of the committee on public ceremonies The two sheets are inclosed in a handsome black morocco case 12x16 inches, lined with white silk

The committee will remain in the city until the members of the new cabinet are inducted into office, when invitations to accompany their chief to Chicago will be formally extended to them But there will be no other silk, vellum or black morocco invitations presented to any one Altogether but 1,600 invitations to the opening will be issued

The Inaugural Ball Room.

WASHINGTON, March 7 —That everybody did not attend the inaugural ball Saturday night, was evident when the crowds poured into the pension building to see the decorations and listen to a concert by the Marine band.

The great hall of the building presented a scene that fully repaid a visit, although some of the roses had faded and the trailing vines so profusely used in the decorations, had begun to droop. The bright sunlight instead of a flood of artificial light, which the decorator had in view when he designed the scheme, streamed through the tall windows of the attic story, but its garnishment was softened to a large extent by the white and cold canopy which formed the beautifully-draped ceiling of the ball room.

The decorations as a whole wore a somewhat dissipated air, yet were still wonderfully fine.

Decided in Favor of the Miners.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—In an opinion delivered by Justice Blatchford, for Chief Justice Fuller, in the case of George A. Pettibone and other striking Coeur d'Alene miners, in Idaho, against the United States, the court decided in favor of the miners and directed that the indictment against them be quashed.

These cases grow out of the riots at the Warden mines. The court there granted injunctions restraining the strikers from interfering with the men, and it is alleged that Pettibone and others conspired to violate the laws of the United States. The court holds that the indictment under which they were convicted on this charge is defective in that it was shown that the men had no knowledge of the action of the court. Therefore the men were discharged. Justices Brown and Brewer dissenting.

Reassembling of the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The United States supreme court chamber was crowded to its utmost yesterday morning, when the court reassembled after its customary February recess. All the visitors who could gain admittance were present to witness the proceedings, and the space within the bar was filled to overflowing with counsel. Justice Jackson was on the bench, but Chief Justice Fuller was absent, he having been telegraphed to come to Chicago, where his daughter is seriously ill. Senior Associate Justice Field presided. A large number of decisions were rendered, mostly in unimportant cases

A Decision Against the Western Union Telegraph Co

WASHINGTON, March 7 —In the case of the city of East St. Louis against the Western Union Telegraph Co. the supreme court of the United States, in an opinion by Judge Brewer, reversed the decision of the lower court and held to be valid a city ordinance exacting compensation from the company for the use of its telegraph poles, the charge being laid on each pole.

Gail Hamilton Preparing a Biography of Mr. Blaine.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The announcement is publicly made by Gail Hamilton (Miss Abigail Dodge) that with the co-operation of Mrs. Blaine and family she is preparing a biography of the late James G Blaine, but cannot yet say when it will be completed and issued

LATE NEWS FROM HONOLULU.

The English Residents Displeased—The Queen Not Allowed to Enter the Palace.

HONOLULU, Feb 16.—Although provisional troops and United States marines are constantly on guard, and everyone is ready to assemble at the call of danger, there has been absolutely no excitement here since Minister Stevens took charge. The English are not pleased at the course of events, but they content themselves with talk about the jingo policy of "old Minister Stevens."

Capt Good, commanding the barracks under present military organization, said to-day that while there was some question as to whether a general uprising of native Hawaiians could be incited, it was not because they lacked in bravery, but rather that proper leadership was wanting. "I don't mind telling you," he said "that on Sunday last I learned that there was a project on foot for Queen Liliuokalani, as she is still called, to go to the palace. You may not understand that that would mean much, but to the native mind it would mean, in fact, an assumption once more of royal authority. At guard mount at 6 o'clock, on Monday morning, I issued an order that if Mrs. Dominis (the deposed queen) attempted to enter the palace gates without a pass properly signed to refuse her admission, and if forcible entry was attempted to resist it, and that the guard would be there in double-quick time.

On Monday the rumors were repeated and I reported what I done to Col. Soper and President Dole, who approved it, and I have since issued the same order every morning No attempt has yet been made by Mrs. Dominis to enter the palace, and she remains quietly at her residence near by.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Judge Gresham has filed his resignation as judge of the Seventh circuit and it has been accepted.

—George Boane, one of the leading members of the 'Old Homestead" company was stricken with paralysis at Cincinnati Sunday night.

—A. D Smith, of St. Paul, lowered the world's skating record for twenty five miles by Donaghue nearly two minutes His time was 1 29.57

—The Big Four switchmen, on strike at Springfield, O., declared the strike off Sunday and with a few exceptions made application to be reinstated in their old places.

—James Casey, the town clerk of Tralee, Ireland, got into a quarrel with Whelan, the rate collector, in the board room and shot him fatally. The affair caused intense excitement

—Senator Morgan, of Alabama one of the representatives of the United States in the Behring sea court of arbitration is lying ill at the Southwestern hotel in Southampton, England

—Pope Leo is gratified by the offer of American Catholics to give Mgr. Satolli a residence in Washington as a present in honor of the pope s episcopal jubilee, and his holiness will send his benediction to the donors

—Mrs Fermand, of Bellingham, Minn., was crushed to death in a rear-end collision at that place Sunday, the car in which she had just taken her seat being telescoped Fire broke out, and the cars of the wrecked train were soon destroyed

—A project having for its object the construction and equipment, with private capital, of the long talked-of ship canal between Lake Erie and the Ohio river, is receiving the serious consideration of well-known Pittsburgh (Pa) capitalists, as well as financiers from other large business centers.

The Ex-President at Home.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 7.—The ex-president and his daughter and grandchildren spent most of yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Harrison's grave, in Crown Hill cemetery. In the evening a reception was tendered him by the people at the capitol building, and so great was the crush the capacity of the great structure was tested.

Addresses of welcome were made by Gov. Matthews, Mayor Sullivan and Hon. C. W. Fairbanks, and eloquently responded to by Mr. Harrison.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

DIABOLICAL MURDER.

A Young Man Who Knew Too Much Done to Death

AND HIS BODY THROWN INTO THE RIVER

One of the Murderers, Who Are All Suspected of Train Robbery, Captured—His Story of the Crime and Its Motive.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 7.—John Farrell, in jail at Somersville, charged with murdering Tom Woods, made a confession Sunday of one of the most cold-blooded murders ever committed in this state. The day before Christmas Tom Woods, a prosperous young white man, disappeared. Bob Burnett, Alf Chambers, John Farrell and a man named McCurley left the country. Before going Farrell said Woods' body could be found in Wolf river. On January 28 the river was dragged, and the body was found tied to a plow, and there was a bullet-hole in the neck. Farrell was captured and Sunday gave the details of the murder. He said that Bob Burnett informed him that Woods had attempted to outrage his sister and also assaulted Burnett's wife. It was agreed to kill him. Farrell invited Woods to attend a party at Chamber's house. Woods, Alf. Chambers, John Farrell, McCurley and Burnett started for Woods' house together. They informed Woods that they intended to throw him in Wolf river. Woods begged to be hanged or shot. He was put on a mule in front of Farrell and taken to a bridge over the river. A fire was made and Woods was given ten minutes to pray. He attempted to escape but was shot by Burnett, but not badly wounded. He pleaded again to be hanged, but the party lashed him to a plow and threw him from the bridge, saw him sink, went to Chambers' house and passed the night in a wild frolic

In a few days all left the country. The real cause of the murder is thought to be the fact that Woods knew too much about a train robbery the party was engaged in at Moscow a few days before his death. All of the prisoners implicated are young men and well connected. The confession created considerable excitement. The others implicated by Farrell are in Texas.

VICAR-GENERAL BRADY.

Sudden Death of a Worthy but Much-Maligned Priest.

ST. LOUIS, March 7.—Vicar-General Philip F. Brady died at St. John's parochial residence, 1519 Chest street, some time between 12 and o'clock yesterday morning. The or person present at the time of his demise was his sister, an aged woman who acts as his housekeeper. About 2 o'clock Father Coffey, the assistant pastor, was aroused by Miss Brady, who told him to hurry down stairs, as she thought Father Brady was dying. He donned his cassock quickly, but when he reached the chamber the sufferer was dead. Father Coffey pinched his cheeks, but they were cold. He called to him, tried stimulants, but nothing could bring the slightest sign of life. He concluded that his superior must have been dead for over half an hour.



Vicar-General Philip P. Brady.

Rev Father Coffey, first assistant pastor of St. John's church, was seen yesterday morning. He said: "Father Brady died suddenly. At what time I do not know, but think about 1 o'clock. I was called after 2 o'clock and when I reached his room the body was cold. I hardly believed that he was dead. I think that Father Brady died of apoplexy. Friends of Father Brady often said that he would die suddenly and of apoplexy Up to the time of his death I had not seen him since last Saturday week. He was obliged to take to his room last Thursday. He suffered very much from coughing spells. Sometimes we thought that he would die in one of these attacks. He had one of those spells yesterday Dr. Gregory was here yesterday morning and he was very much surprised. I myself have been up since I was notified of his death. I have been busy sending telegrams to his friends."

The dead vicar general was seen this morning in the room where he lived. The body had been removed from the small bed to a low settee. It was not laid out, but was garbed in plain woolen underclothes. A sheet covered the trunk and limbs, and a handkerchief saturated with camphor concealed his face. The features were well preserved. There was no subsidence of the cheeks, and the usual ghastly pallor was absent. On the contrary, the face was full and lifelike, except for a yellowish cast under the eyes.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. E H. Gregory decided to issue a certificate ascribing the cause of death to su ffocation caused by throat trouble.

It was said that the coroner might have to hold an inquest over the remains of Father Brady, beause the dead priest had not been seen by his physician, Dr. Gregory, for some days. But Coroner Frank said this afternoon that he would not interfere.

HIS MENTAL STRUGGLE.

Vicar-General Brady worried greatly over the opposition and criticism which the coadjutorship agitation brought out against him. A close friend of the dead priest said yesterday morning: "Say what you may, Father Brady died of a broken heart. From the time this coadjutorship agitation arose he has never known a peaceful moment. He looked for the position as the crowning reward of years of faithful service. He could have stood the disappointment of loss of the office, but what wounded him to the quick was the bitterness with which he was assailed by those who wished to deprive him of the honor. He was a sensative, warm-hearted man and think of the wound it inflicted on him to have his fellow priests send on to Rome a statement that he was unfit through lack of education, manner and person to fill the office of bishop. He was not thick-skinned, and that statement stung him to the quick. It prayed on his mind and broke him down. He has spoken to me of these petitions, and the tears streamed down his cheeks. Whatever physical ailment was the immediate cause of death was the result in my mind of the mental state which this coadjutorship agitation produced in him."

Chatting one day with a representative of the press about the priests' petition which had been sent on to the archiepiscopal conference, Father Brady unbosomed himself on the understanding that his remarks were not for publication, as his policy had always been to remain silent under every assault.

"I have always had but one aim in view and that was to do my duty, and to stick closely to business. I have not gone out of the scope of my priestly office to mix in church politics. Hence I feel very much what the priests have done.

"It would have been more becoming had they remained at their homes and churches and attended to the duties of their office. It is the effect which their conduct will have on the public which I deplore more than I grieve over the personal attack which they have made on me. I have always made a steady, uphill fight. For two years after I became a priest I was constantly in the saddle in the swamp region of New Madrid, Mo. From there I was transferred to the Annunciation church in this city. I was young, frail and in anything but robust health, because I had been in the swamp territory. The church had an indebtedness of several thousand dollars hanging over it and I determined to lift the burden. I gave up the parochial residence and went to live in a single room, in order to economize. On the first Sunday of my pastorate I preached a sermon from a Bible text and at the close I shut the book. I told the congregation in deliberate, earnest words that I would not open the Bible to preach from again, until the debt is paid. 'I shall have but one text,' said I, 'and it shall be money, money, money.' At the end of the year the indebtedness was paid. I was then transferred to St. John's church, and, both as pastor and as vicar-general, I have endeavored to do my duty well." He looked at the fire and seemed to be in deep grief.

CUBAN COURTESY.

American Female Baseball Players Come to Grief in Havanna.

HAVANA, March 7.—A serious conflict occurred Sunday at Alemendares which nearly resulted in serious injury to a number of American young women. A party of Americans known as the "American Female Baseball Club," has been going about playing against Cuban clubs and otherwise exhibiting themselves with more or less success. Sunday they were playing at Alemendares, their opponents being a local baseball club composed of young men of a good class. The majority of the spectators were respectable and well behaved, but the attendance also included a share of the lowest dregs of society. These latter became irritated at the playing of the American visitors, and some of them claimed to be convinced that it was simply farcical and did not show professional skill. The malcontents clamored loudly for restitution of their money, and at length became so irritated that they broke the seats and the fence around the play grounds. This caused general consternation among the female players, and several of them nearly swooned with fright. The mob, encouraged by impunity, attempted to attack the players, who were gallantly defended by the young men of the Cuban Baseball club and by the respectable majority of the spectators All the players, male and female, took refuge in a house. The mob pursued them, and succeeded in obtaining an entrance. Then the rioters pillaged the house and succeeded in injuring several of the players, including one of the American females.

VANDERBILT MONEY

As a Court-Plaster for a Wronged Wife's Lacerated Feelings.

NEW YORK, March 7 —The action of Mary E Vanderbilt to recover $100,000 damages from Capt. Jacob Vanderbilt was dismissed on consent by Justice Truax of the supreme court yesterday The action was brought for the alleged alienation of affections of the husband, Jacob Vanderbilt. Counsel got their heads together and Mrs. Vanderbilt it is declared, received a check and gave Capt. Vanderbilt a release. She and Jacob were married in this city in the spring of 1888. Jacob was then a widower with two children. They were married under assumed names as Jacob said he did not want his father to know of the match.

To conceal the marriage Jacob spent part of each week with his parents. He remained away a week in June and came back a changed man, saying his father had learned of the affair. He wanted her to consent to a separation, but she declined She has an action pending against him for a limited divorce.

Southern Land Excursions.

The winter does not consume what the summer produces in Mississippi and Alabama. Three Great Land Seekers' Excursions. At less than half rate to all points in Mississippi and Alabama, via the Mobile & Ohio R. R., on March 14th, April 11th, and May 9th. Tickets limited to 30 days allowing stop overs at all points south of the Ohio river. Thousands of acres of choice agricultural lands, for sale at low prices and on easy terms. Three crops a year, no cyclones, no blizzards, no sunstrokes. Through tickets at low rates can be had from any point. Call on your nearest ticket agent for particulars, or apply to F. W. Greene, Gen. Agt., M. & O. R. R., 108 North Broadway street, St. Louis, Mo. E. E. Posey, Acting Gen. Pass. Agt., Mobile, Ala., or F. A. LeForgee & Co., Land Agt. M. & O. R. R., Decatur, Ill. mgd10t

Mothers' Recommendation.

We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville who would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day. From personal experience we can say that it has broken up bad colds for our children.—Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

THE TROUBLE BEGINS

The New President Beset by Office-Seekers.

FIRST WORKING DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

An Endless Stream of Visitors Winds Its Way Into and Through the White House—Old Friends Recognized in the Throng.

WASHINGTON March 7.—For the second time in his career Mr. Cleveland began to realize yesterday morning the trials and tribulations which beset a new president during the first days of his term. Very fortunately for his physical well being, however, the rest of the intervening Sunday and the exodus on that day of thousands of those who would undoubtedly have thronged to the White House had they remained in town, relieved him to a great extent of the fatigue of the excessive handshaking which fell to his part eight years ago, when there was no Sunday for rest, and the spring-like weather caused many people to extend their visit to Washington, and make the customary pilgrimage to the mecca of the executive mansion. But even as it was, he had no easy day.

In accordance with his usual habit, Mr. Cleveland arose early, and, after breakfasting, went directly to the president's room, where he attempted to dispatch some business. But the crowds of distinguished visitors soon began to storm the doors, and Mr. Cleveland was obliged to forego his work and listen to words of congratulations from governors of states, senators, representatives and a host of others.

Govs. Pattison of Pennsylvania and Northen, of Georgia, each with his staff, were the first callers who saw Mr. Cleveland. They were received informally. Then came Gov. Peck, the humorous statesman from Wisconsin, and with him the brass-buttoned members of his staff. Gov. Morris of Connecticut came too, with his staff. There were senators and representatives, galore—Mills, of Texas, the author of the famous tariff bill, and Mr. Cleveland's sterling bonchman in congress; Butler, of South Carolina, and Palmer, the old war horse from Illinois; Congressman Springer, chairman of the ways and means committee, who, if he retains his chairmanship in the fifty-third congress will be Mr. Cleveland's main dependence in carrying out his tariff views. Behind Mr. Springer's pleasant smile and always courteous demeanor, came a delegation from his state. Theodore Roosevelt, civil service commissioner, remained with the president long enough to congratulate him on his civil service reform utterances in his inaugural address. Ex-Congressman Frank Lawler, of Chicago, was also among the callers.

Shortly after 8 o'clock the brass bands began to play in the vicinity of the White House, and stepping out to their music came many political organizations. The driveway leading to the main doorways of the White House was soon packed with people anxious to shake hands with the president. The Samuel J. Randall club of Philadelphia—100 strong—was the first organization to obtain admittance and its members were mustered in a hollow square in the spacious east room until Mr. Cleveland came down stairs. It was not until 11:20 o'clock that he entered the room. He was attired in a black cutaway and dark trousers and looked the picture of good health. It was remarked by many present, who had not seen him more than once or twice in four years, that his appearance was much improved since his official exit from Washington. His face was ruddy, his eye clear and he stood with a firmness that showed him to be a man of remarkable vigor

Squire Wm. McMullen and Congressman McAleer headed the Randalls, and before the band had half finished playing "Hail to the Chief" they had the line started past Mr. Cleveland and out at a convenient window which had been arranged for an exit. Each member was introduced to the president by Mr. McMullen and received a hearty handshake from him.

Congressman Coombs and ex-Congressman Archie Bliss headed the Kings county democratic organization with 400 members and a big band. Then came the Cleveland association from the president's own city—Buffalo, and Mr. Cleveland recognized many of its members, several of them being personal friends

After the clubs came the multitude of the general public. They poured through the main doorway in droves. Two lines of people in double file marched under the portico from noon until 1 o'clock and in through the main doorway, then into the East room past the bowing, smiling, handshaking chief magistrate, around the apartment, and out of the window exit. The lines extended 200 yards beyond the entrance to the White House. For a time they reached down the long driveway and into Pennsylvania avenue. Each person who managed to get into the mansion received a handshake and a smile from Mr. Cleveland and he kept up this monotonous routine until a messenger came to his relief at 1 o'clock and informed him that the World's fair delegation were waiting for him in the cabinet room. Mr. Cleveland left the East room immediately, much to the disappointment of the hundreds who had failed to see him; and these were not pacified by the announcement from the doorkeepers that the president would return at 2 o'clock. Just after his reception of the World's fair delegation, Mr. Cleveland saw Mr T. D. Benedict, of Albany, N. Y., who is understood to be a candidate for his old office of public printer. Mr. Benedict is not related to Mr. Cleveland's yachting friend, Mr. E. C. Benedict. He also saw his personal friend, Representative Tracy, of Albany, who was accompanied by Mr. Spratt, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

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Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholerine, as our physicians called it, in this place lately and I made a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine. P. P. KNAPP, Ph. G. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

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TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 7, 1893.

PROF. LEIBIG says the human body is composed of condensed air and gases. This probably accounts for the manner of the average political demagogue.

HON. C. B. FARWELL is prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor of Chicago. Mr. Farwell ought to make a good candidate under such conditions, as the Democrats once supported him for United States senator and the Republicans afterward elected him to the United States senate. And he made a good senator, too.

ST. LOUIS *Globe-Democrat:* Democratic statisticians are figuring out that a duty on tea, coffee and sugar would *yield* a revenue to the government of from \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 a year, in proportion to the rate of the duty. The Republicans made these articles free, but the Democrats are likely to restore the duty. They will try to do it anyhow. The Democrats you know, are the "friends of the workingman."

LEE MANTLE, who has been appointed, ad interim, United States senator from Montana, the legislature having failed to elect, is scarcely of middle age, but has had an eventful life. Left an orphan in his childhood in Utah, he learned teleggraphy, subsequently engaged in the stage-coach business, and at last took up his residence at Butte, of which he was recently chosen mayor. He was twice a member of the Montana territorial legislature, and in the last term of that body was speaker of the house of representatives. He is wealthy, and a bachelor.

CLEVELAND argues against "paternalism"—the benefit of individuals or the people—when he touches pensions and protection; but when he sings the praises of tariff reform and talks about the removal of the burdens from the people and the destruction of trusts by legislation he invokes the same "paternalism" he before condemned. Well, the Democrats are in power and the platitudes of leaders will count for little. What the people want is action. They want to see the healthy growth of our manufacturing and other interests under the "paternalism" shown in free trade. They want to see American wages raised by admiting foreign goods free.

THE address of the National Association of Democratic clubs bears evidence of a loss of faith in Cleveland's honesty of purpose as to tariff legislation. It says "the battle is yet to be won." This means, if it means anything, that they fear Mr. Cleveland proposes to emasculate the Democratic platform declarations as to the tariff. They also state that "with great deliberation and solemn emphasis" the Chicago convention promised the country "a system of taxation looking only to the largest returns of revenue consistent with the widest liberty of trade." This is a reminder to Cleveland that the party stands pledged to the absolute destruction of protection.

THE reception to Ex-President Harrison by his old neighbors in Indianapolis upon his return from Washington and his service to his country as its chief magistrate, was a magnificent compliment to him. Democrats as well as Republicans vied with each other to do him honor. The Democratic governor of, the state rode in the carriage with him and placed at his disposal the executive parlors, where a public reception was held. Enough has been done and said since the ex-president has retired from office, by those who were not in party harmony with him and which they, while he held the office refused to say, to satisfy Mr. Harrison and the country that his administration will go down in history as one of the wisest and most profitable administrations the country has ever had.

Talk and Action.

President Cleveland in his message said some very positive things about abolishing trusts, but President Cleveland in action has evidently given trusts and monopolies assurance in the appointment of his Attorney-General that they will not be seriously disturbed. Speaking of this appointment a Boston special says the appointment of Mr. Richard Olney as Attorney-General has occasioned a good deal of criticism on account of his connection with a number of great corporations. He is not only the attorney of a number of the leading railroads, like the Atchison and Burlington, but is also said to be a director of the Burlington as well as general counsel. It is said that he owes his appointment to the influence of men who are prominent in the Bell Telephone company, his business and personal relations being very close with these people. The immense capital stock of the Bell company is owned almost exclusively by Boston capitalists, many of whom are the friends, neighbors and business associates of Mr. Olney. It is furthermore known that the Bell company has recently taken out important patents on applications which have been pending for many years and it is the intention by means of them to keep up their monopoly on the telephone business for about fifteen years after the original Bell patents expire this year and next. The intention of the monopoly is to run until the year 1908. Attorney-General Miller during the last month begun a suit in the name of the United States to repeal the most important of these patents, and he is quoted as saying he believes the suit will succeed. There are other Bell patents which it is claimed were illegally issued and which the attorney-general ought to look into with that end in view. As the new attorney-general, Mr. Olney, will have the entire control of the suit which Attorney-General Miller begun and will also have to decide whether other suits are brought, it will at once be seen in what an awkward and disadvantageous position the government will be placed in having as its attorney one who is so intimately connected with the great corporation. It is evident the declarations in the message concerning trusts were made to tickle the fancy of the people and the appointment of the chief law officer whose duty it is to prosecute trusts was intended to satisfy the trusts. Evidently the trusts have the best of it.

Under Two Administrations.

Indianapolis *Journal:* The Republicans turn over to the Democracy a prosperous and united country. When they took the government its 6 per cent bonds were selling at a discount of 12 per cent; now a 3 per cent United States bond would go quick at par. When the Democrats left the government, half the country and the outside world held it in contempt; it is returned to the Democracy with a prestige at home and abroad which none can question, and an authority which is obeyed. It came into Republican hands a broken nation; it is returned to the Democracy the most potential nation on the globe. It came to the Republicans with depressed industries; it is turned over to the Democracy in the full tide of a prosperity such as no other country has ever enjoyed.



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That's a good way to *buy* a medicine, but it's a pretty hard condition under which to *sell* it. Perhaps you've noticed that the ordinary hit or miss medicine doesn't attempt it.

The only medicine of its kind so remarkable in its effects that it can be sold on this plan is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. As a blood-cleanser, strength-restorer, and flesh-builder, there's nothing like it known to medical science. In every disease where the fault is in the liver or the blood, as Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, and the most stubborn Skin, Scalp, and Scrofulous affections, it is *guaranteed* in every case to benefit or cure, or you have your money back.

To every sufferer from Catarrh, no matter how bad the case or of how long standing, the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy say this: "If we can't cure it, perfectly and permanently, we'll pay you \$500 in cash." Sold by all druggists.

REV. FRANCIS WOLLE, the most widely cultivated Moravian of his day, died at Bethlehem, Pa., last week, aged 75 years. He was an author, preacher, educator, inventor and scientist. He invented the paper bag and the machine to make it in 1852.

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Every family is liable to have a hereditary taint of consumption in it. It may date back three or four generations. This fact makes it necessary always to have on hand a remedy with which to combat this formidable disease. A cough when taken at first can readily be cured before it gets a serious hold on the Lungs. Ballard's Horehound Syrup when taken in its early stages will cure Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for and affection of the Throat, Lungs and Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of the Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc. It is pleasant to take, perfectly safe and can always be depended on. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 3d&w

EX-GOV. GOODELL of New Hampshire has prepared a bill to strengthen the prohibitory laws of that state by prohibiting the manufacture of liquor.

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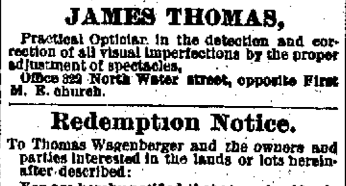
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Redemption Notice.

To Thomas Wagenberger and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1891, for the taxes for the year 1890, including interest, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot, situated in said county, to-wit: Lot 23, block 1, Southeastern addition to the city of Decatur. The same was assessed and taxed in the name of Thomas Wagenberger, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1893.

mar1-d3t J. N. BILLS.

Notice to Holders of Time Warrants.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } To whom it may con-
COUNTY OF MACON } cern.

Notice is hereby given to present for payment at the County Treasurer's office in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the 30th day of March, 1893, all outstanding time warrants issued in part payment for the construction [of] a court house in said county. Interest on said warrants will cease from and after that date.

H. C. MONTGOMERY,
County Treasurer.

Decatur, Illinois, February [illegible], 1893.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Emaline B. Wilson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Emaline B. Wilson, late of the county of Oldham and state of Kentucky, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the May term on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1893.

LOWBER BURROWS,
feb24-d3w Executor.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

To the heirs and creditors of the estate of E. F. Delbridge, sr., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 27th day of March, 1893, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will present his final report to the county court at Decatur, Ill., and ask to be discharged, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

R. H. WOODCOCK,
m6-d2w Administrator.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order issued from the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to sell real estate to pay debts, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Casper Burg, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, at the hour of 10 a. m., on Saturday, April 1, 1893, the following described premises to-wit: Lot seventeen of block one, in James A. Steele's addition to Macon, Macon county, Illinois. Terms cash. Sale of said premises being in fee absolute, subject to the approval of said county court.

Dated at Macon, Ill., this 24th day of February, 1893. HIRAM A. KITCH,
f27-d4w Administrator.

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WANTED—A competent girl for general housework and cooking; no washing or ironing or children. MRS. S. BURGESS. 225 North Edward St., city. m4-d6

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SEALED BIDS.—Proposals for building of free stone or concrete walks in front of the Macon County Court House will be received by the Building Committee at the office of W. H. Starr, 333 North Main street, Decatur, up to and including Tuesday, March 14, 1893, at 4 o'clock p. m. A copy of the specifications for said work can be had on application at the above office. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. W. H. STARR,
Chairman Committee on Public Buildings.
feb28-d2w

FOR SALE—A span of good, young, large mules. Inquire at 606 West Decatur street. mar1-d1w-w2t* H. M. GLEASON.

NOTICE—J. H. Pifer, the cobbler, is now at 137 West Main street and would be glad to see one and all. Work guaranteed satisfactory. f28-d5*

FOR SALE OR TRADE for farm or city property—Fine stock of groceries; good location with established cash trade. Will give buyer a bargain if taken soon; also a four-ton scales at a sacrifice. Call on D. M. GARVER, 241 East Main St. f23-d1w*

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A sorrel pony with bald face, 3½ years old. Disappeared Feb. 24th from 1318 East Orchard street. Pony had on halter when he left. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of pony, or for information which will lead to his recovery. Inform RUDOLPH FLECHT, at 1318 East Orchard. f27-6*

C. A. FOSTER—Teacher of piano playing, high grade instruction, elementary and advanced. Endorsed by distinguished artists. Office (March 1) and music room over Dr. Waltz dental parlors, North Main street. 27d1m

TENANTS WANTED—Early in the spring I will erect a double one-story store building on the corner of North Water and King streets, 40x40 feet in size. Good tenants wanted. Apply to HENRY BAUER on East Main street. f27-d1w

WANTED—To sell barn and livery stock and dray line, all or part, by the first of April. Inquire at 238 North Jackson St. AMOS SHISLER. f24 d2w*

FOR SALE—We will offer 21 lots in Enterprise Addition for a few days, either single lots or all together, on very easy terms and at prices that will surprise you. Look into this at once.

We have 59 lots in all parts of the city, on easy terms. A fine 5-room cottage on corner of King and Union streets; new barn, good well, a very convenient home for sale cheap.

We have for sale 10 splendid farms in Macon, Moultrie and Christian counties, near railroad and market. Good improvements.

We want to loan \$50,000 on farms in Macon county.

We want to trade a good stock of general merchandise in good town near Decatur for farm or city property.

We want to trade a good young mare for lot or on a piece of three or four rooms.

We have for rent four good rooms in center of business. City water in rooms.

Come and see us at 300 N. Water St. Open evenings until 8 p. m. Phone 273.

feb23-d2w KIRK & TWADELL.

FOR SALE—Fire-proof Safe at a bargain. 135 South Water street. GEO. M. WOOD. feb23-d4w

FOR SALE—Good horse, 5 years old, weighing 1200 pounds. Inquire of GRINDOL & SON. feb2-dtf

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargain in second-hand goods.
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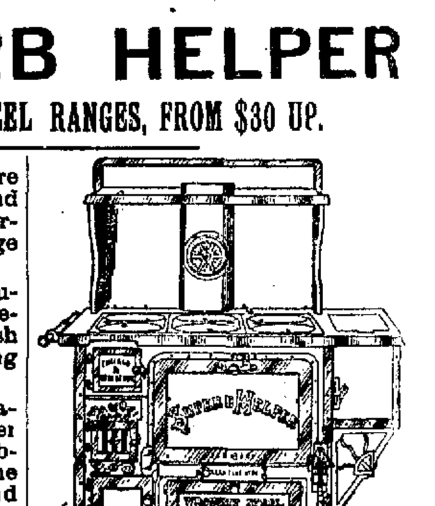
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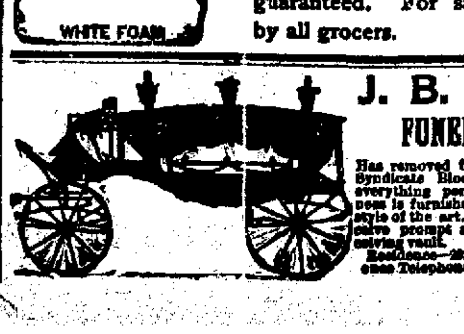
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FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....6:30 a m
No. 1 Pass.... 10:55 a m	No. 3 Pass....3:45 am
No. 41 Pass....11:05 a m	No. 13 Pass....4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass....12:15 p m	No. 40 Pass....2:05 p m
No. 2 Pass.... 12:55 p m	No. 5 Pass....2:55 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:15 a m	No. 13 Pass... 4:30 a m
No. 44 Pass....10:50 a m	No. 45 Pass... 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass.... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass... 6:07 p m
No. 46 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:55 a m	No. 71, Freight 12:45 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass... 5:25 a m
No. 45 Pass... 1:50 p m	No. 44 Pass...11:10 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass...10:22 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10:55 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 3:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass....8:25 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:40 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday 8:50 p m	No. 8 Pass, except Sunday 6:35 a m
No. 5 Pass....2:50 p m	No. 4 Pass....11:15 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 118 (Diamond Special).....1:12 a m	No. 117 (Diamond Special).....2:48 a m
No. 122 mail....8:35 a m	No. 121 mail....10:25 a m
No. 102 accom....2:05 p m	No. 103 pass....5:20 p m
No. 107 pass....9:00 p m	No. 193 way ft. 9:10 a m
No. 193 way ft. 3:30 p m	No. 701 (Havana Line) arrives.....10:15 a m
No. 702 (Havana Line) leaves.....3:45 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 2:30 p m	No. 2 Pass....11:15 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 8:55 a m	No. 4 Pass....10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight 5:00 a m	No. 8 Freight 4:30 a m
No. 9 Freight 8:00 p m	No. 10 Freight 4:20 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 3 Pass....3:10 p m	No. 1 Pass....11:05 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 8:55 a m	No. 2 Pass....10:15 p m
No. 30 Pass, Sunday only.....7:50 a m	No. 31 Pass, Sunday only.....9:00 p m
No. 11 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 11 Freight 2:00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

EAST.	WEST
No. 2 Pass....8:00 p m	No. 1 Pass....11:35 a m
No. 4 Pass....7:00 a m	No. 3 Pass....7:05 pm
No. 6 Pass....9:00 p m	No. 5 Pass....2:30 a m

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENE & SON, tailors.

FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

TO-NIGHT Rev. Baker will preach at the Church of God.

CHOCOLATE ice cream soda at Irwin's.

"ZEB" to-morrow night at the Grand. You should be there.

THE best Steel Range in the city at Eschman Bros. & Martin Co. 28-d6-w2

HAND-MADE wall paper received this week at Conklin & Housum's.

"EL SELLO"—Key West cigar—5 cents straight—West's Lincoln Square Pharmacy.

DRINK iron phosphate at Irwin's fountain.

THE revival at the Presbyterian church at Lincoln has closed. There were 25 conversions.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's.

THE popular comedy, "Z-b," will be at the Grand to-morrow night. Don't miss this play.

NEW attendants at the Linn & Scruggs store are Miss Ida Reeme, Ed. B. Adams and Henry Goeggel.

THE Presbyterian Endeavor society will give a social next Thursday evening at the residence of R. P. Lytle.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's WitchHazel Salve will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

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THURSDAY night will be ladies' night at the Decatur club rooms. Six-hand euchre will be the feature of the evening. Play will begin at 8 o'clock.

CALL at the C. B. Prescott music store. There you will find the always popular Haines Upright pianos and the standard Packard organs. Make your selections.

A LITTLE ILL, then a little pill. The ill is gone, the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. W. F. Neisler.

THE funeral of Mrs. Julia H. Shulke, who died of dropsy, aged 61 years, at 1118 East Condit street, took place this afternoon from St. Johannes Lutheran church.

REV. JAMES MILLER will go to Danville to-morrow to preach the funeral of Prof. John B. Peckham, who died Sunday morning. He was a musician, and had resided in Danville ten years. The Masons and Odd Fellows will have charge of the funeral.

SUNDAY night burglars were prowling around on North Edward street, making efforts to enter the homes of M. Eichinger and C. A. Pollock. The police were informed of the presence of the would-be robbers in that vicinity by Henry Girndt of the street car line, and they scared the thieves away.

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THE editor of the Oakland *Ledger* is praying for spring to open up as he says the price of meat, lard, vegetables and all kinds of merchandise is now so high that the problem of high living is a serious and difficult one, but he says there is no corner on greens and thinks if he can worry through until they come on he will be safe.

PROPER action was taken by the town board yesterday to have the Decatur and Monticello railroad bonds refunded at 5 per cent payable in fifteen years. The bonds are for $25,000. The proposition to refund the bonds at the lower rate of interest will be submitted to a vote of the people on April 4. Everybody should vote for the proposition.

EVERYONE *uses glass* tumblers, and everyone will make the mistake of a whole year who misses our Glassware Sale. Our Special Sales are put on at such low prices that they make you buy. Read our large ad. on the subject.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

FANNY RICE, the actress, had a picnic in Pekin. She wanted to take her big Newfoundland dog into her sleeping room at night and the manager of the hotel would not allow it. She was occupying the bridal chamber at the Woodward and the hotel man did not think it ought to be occupied by a dog at the same time. So Fanny moved to another place where they did not object to dogs.

MISS NELLIE CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

A REVIVAL meeting has been held at the M. E. church at Blue Mound for the past three weeks, conducted by Rev. T. J. Davis, of Carbondale, Ill. It was by far the most powerful religious awakening the town ever experienced. There were about 60 conversions, and 49 united with the M. E. church. A beautiful organ—a "Vocalion"—costing $450, has been bought and paid for by the church within a year. The cause of religion is wonderfully advanced at Blue Mound and the town is rejoicing in consequence. Rev. H. C. Turner is the pastor of the church.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Democrats Object to the New Boundaries,

But are Knocked Out on the First Round by Repealing the Rules —Other Business.

The city council met last night. All were present except Hubert.

The petition presented by the W. C. T. U., asking that all screens be removed in all saloons, was received and referred.

The petition of Samuel May to peddle May's Compound was referred to the mayor.

C. H. Dawson was granted a druggist's permit.

A petition from property owners on North Monroe and North College streets, asking the council to reconsider its action by which a sewer was ordered between those streets, was laid on the table.

A petition from certain citizens on East William street against paying the same, was referred to the public improvement committee.

By request the dram shop license of Michael Witt was transferred to John Levens.

Several persons on West William street asked that the paving to be put on that street be extended to the west line of Millikin Place. The request was granted.

REPORTS FOR FEBRUARY.

Waterworks—Gallons water pumped, 56 millions; coal used, 220 tons; electric light, 260 hours.

City Marshal—Arrests, 50; fines assessed, $889; fines collected, $270 70.

The street superintendent reported $187.06 expended for labor and 55 feet of lumber used.

City Treasurer—Receipts, $3,568 58; warrants paid, $4 359 14; balance $435.01. The following balances were reported; Sinking fund, $3,777.57; street paving fund, $9,242.82; library fund, $2,572.33; waterworks improvement fund, $33,-625.14.

The petition of West Decatur street people for a pavement was granted.

A committee appointed to investigate complaint that street car company was not complying with requirement of the ordinance as to the street car service on East Division and North Broadway reported that the street car company was doing all it could under adverse circumstances to comply with the ordinance and serve the people, and that when it had failed it was through no fault of the company. The company promised better service in the spring, and at that the matter was allowed to rest for the present after adopting a resolution by Alderman Shade that the company should give the North Water street people a better service.

The ordinance to pave West William street was taken up, and, after amending it so as to extend paving to Millikin Place, was adopted.

THE WARD BOUNDARIES.

The ordinance fixing new boundaries, which was in conformity with the report of a committee from the council, submitted at a preceeding meeting of the council, and agreed to and the city attorney ordered to prepare an ordinance embodying the apportionment recommended by said committee, was taken up, whereupon Alderman Head, a Democratic member of the council, discovered that the proposed division did not suit his party and objected to the suspension of rules for the purpose of passing the ordinance. On the question of suspension the yeas were 9, nays 4. Deitz, Hall, Head and Watkins, all Democrats, voting against suspension. Under the rules which require a two-thirds vote of all the aldermen elect to suspend the rules, the motion to suspend was lost. Alderman Head assuming that the ordinance if passed at the next regular meeting, could not for want of time apply to the coming election, proposed to move a reconsideration in case the council would consent to amend the ordinance by changing the proposed boundary line between the First and Fifth wards. Then Watkins wanted some other change, both of which propositions were purely partisan and made the vote in each ward disproportionate. Alderman Shade then offered a resolution in the spirit of compromise embodying Watkins' proposition that the west line of the Sixth ward be made Water street. This was adopted, but on the question of suspension of the rules to pass the ordinance, amended as proposed, the four Democrats again voted against suspension, and the matter was dropped.

Ordinances for paving North and South Pine street, Mason street, North and South Edward street, and North Monroe street from Eldorado to Main, were read and adopted under a suspension of the rules.

An ordinance for paving North and South College street was read, but there being a protest from some citizens against this paving the ordinance and protest were referred to the public improvement committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Twelve Aldermen: That Union street sewer be extended north on Monroe street to Edmund and east on Edmund street to the alley between Edward and Union, and that the same paid for by general taxation and the improvement be one of the first to come from the next appropriation. Referred.

By Montgomery: That the clerk make settlement and pay parties holding local improvement vouchers which have been lost or destroyed, upon said owner furnishing the necessary proof of such voucher being lost or destroyed. Adopted.

By Seeforth: For a 5-foot brick walk on East Decatur street between Water and Main streets. Adopted.

By Montgomery: That the mayor execute to P. Loeb a quit claim deed for property on East North street for the purpose of establishing a boundary line. Adopted.

By Cops: That the attorney draft an ordinance for widening West Decatur street from Power avenue to South Monroe street. Adopted.

By Cops: That the engineer establish a street grade upon the street running immediately north form South Union street and extending from Wood to Main street. Adopted.

By Shade and Seeforth: That persons using East Main street as a hay market be arrested. Adopted.

By Bramble: That the street superintendent be instructed to remove the lamp post at Cheap Charley's corner. Adopted.

A resolution was introduced and passed authorizing the city attorney to draw an ordinance dividing each ward into two voting precincts.

RESCINDING THE RULES.

Alderman Shade moved that the rules of order under which the council is working be rescinded, which was carried by a vote of 9 to 4; Head, Deitz, Watkins and Hall, Democrats, voting nay. This action was taken with a view of preventing the four kickers from defeating under this rule nine other aldermen in the passage of the New Ward Boundary ordinance. This was the proper thing to do, and will defeat the scheme of four partisans to defeat the will of nine other aldermen who are proposing to make a fair division of votes in the several wards. The kickers were not looking for this turn of affairs and they would not have been more surprised had a cyclone struck them.

A motion to adjourn was then made and lost, but after some unimportant business the council adjourned.

The rules having been rescinded the council can now pass an ordinance at any time according to the spirit and provisions of the statutes of the state. It is a question whether the rule was ever legal, from the fact that the statutes provide that a majority of the members can pass an ordinance and this rule practically annulled that provision of the statutes by putting it in the power of a few kickers to prevent the passage of an ordinance when a majority favored it.

CALIFORNIA'S ORANGE CROP.

Very Large, but the Farmers for Some Reason are Holding It Back.

The orange market of Southern California is in a peculiar condition. The largest crop on record is on the trees awaiting shipment, amounting probably to 6,500 carloads, against 2,900 last year and 4,600 for the previous season, says the San Francisco *Chronicle*. Only a few hundred carloads have been shipped so far.

It has been reported that there is a combine among southern California orange growers to hold their crop for $3 a box. This is only true to a limited extent. There is no general combination among growers. Local unions have been formed in several localities to maintain prices and facilitate shipments, but these only represent a portion of the crop and do not work in unison. The most important of these unions is that of Riverside, which represents seven-eighths of the crop of that place, or about 1,700 boxes. The rest of the crop controlled by local organizations will probably bring up the aggregate so held to about 2,500 boxes, or less than half the total crop.

Buyers are holding off, being unwilling to consign, while the eastern purchasers are not inclined to risk buying. The weather in the east has been very cold, and there is still a large quantity of good Florida fruit to be shipped; hence there is at present a sort of deadlock. Local firms are offering for choicest Riverside navels $3 per box at this shipping point and lower, according to quality, and for ordinary San Gabriel Valley navels $1.75 is about the best price obtainable, which does not satisfy the growers.

Big Failure at Assumption.

The town of Assumption, 20 miles south of Decatur on the Illinois Central railroad, is stirred from center to circumference by a big failure in business. Orville Overholt, who has been the lumber merchant there for 20 years, has made a voluntary assignment for the benefit of his creditors. The assignee is J. W. Craig, bookkeeper for Overholt. Liabilities, $27,000; assets, $37,000. The failure was a great surprise, as everybody believed that Overholt was solid financially. He is a bachelor and has always been regarded as a safe and reliable business man. Besides the lumber interests he is the owner of 20 or 25 dwelling houses and various lots in Assumption. It is stated that if it had been known that Overholt was pressed for cash, several friends would have come to his assistance. One farmer who had already loaned the lumber dealer $4,000, said he was willing to put up any amount to save Overholt. It is said that one of the Assumption banks is stuck for $10,000.

The Shakespeare Class.

Yesterday afternoon the members of the Shakespeare class gave a spirited entertainment at the Woman's club assembly room, which was crowded to the doors. Mrs. Walston, the class president, presided. There was a lesson on parliamentary rules which afforded no little fun and gave the members valuable pointers how to organize a meeting properly. With Mrs. Badenhausen as chairman and by motions and cross-motions, it was impossible to accomplish anything. Finally Mrs. Walston was elected permanent chairman, and then in a very brief period of time everything went smoothly and the organization was effected. Miss Mary Rood, a near relative of Mrs. Edwin Philbrook, gave a pleasing recitation which won her an encore, to which she responded. She was presented with a bunch of flowers. The entire entertainment was voted one of the best of the winter.

Painfully Burned.

Mrs. George Keller met with an accident yesterday afternoon at her home on Spring avenue. She was engaged in cleaning a piece of silk with gasoline and unfortunately got too near the grate fire. The inflammable fluid caught fire and before the flames could be extinguished Mrs. Keller was painfully burned about the face and hands.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Travis, at their home, No. 836 North Jasper street, March 3, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murray, 1388 North Church street, March 6, a daughter—weight 11 pounds.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Stevenson, on Friday, March 3, a daughter.

Cut Glass.

Today begins our Special Sale of Cut Glass. We place in our Special Sale our entire line which is the largest in Central Illinois at Prices you cannot afford to pass by. Remember we carry the Finest line made which took the First Prize at the Paris Exposition.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Celestial Lodge Elect Officers.

Celestial Lodge, No. 186, I. O. O. F., held a meeting last night and elected the following officers: Archie Tuttle, Noble Grand; D. C. Corley, Vice Grand; H. F. Ehrman, Rec. Sec., Albert Leech, Permanent Secretary; I. W. Ehrman, Treasurer.

THE breaking up of the winter is the signal for the breaking up of the system. Nature is opening up the the pores and throwing off refuse. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is of unquestionable assistance in this operation. W. F. Neisler.

THE STATE GATHERING.

Parade of the G. A. R. at Springfield—Receptions.

The twenty-seventh annual encampment of the Department of Illinois will convene at Springfield March 16. The encampment will be called to order at 10 a. m. in representatives hall for the transaction of such business as may properly come before it.

The parade will form at 9:30 a. m. on Sixth street, fronting the Leland hotel, the right of the column resting on Monroe street. The posts will fall in, in numerical order as far as practicable, and escorted by the posts of the city of Springfield and under command of Comrade E. A. Nattinger, chief of staff, will proceed by the most direct route to the capitol.

Representative badges will be ready for issue on the afternoon and evening of March 15, as well as on the morning of the 16th. They can be procured at department headquarters, room 4, Leland hotel, from the committee on credentials.

A grand camp fire will be tendered to the representatives of the twenty-seventh state encampment, their families and friends, in representatives hall, state house, Thursday evening, March 16. The comrades of Posts 30, 450 and 578 of the city of Springfield have pledged themselves to afford a pleasant and profitable time to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps and the ladies of G. A. R. during their sojourn in that city.

The ladies of the G. A. R. will hold a reception in the parlors of the Leland hotel Thursday evening, March 16, from 7 till 9 o'clock, in honor of their national president, Mrs. Carrie V. Sheriff, to which the department and members of the G. A. R. Woman's Relief corps and Sons of Veterans are cordially invited.

Power of the Press.

This play of deep human interest, strong in sentiment and scenic effects, will be seen at the Grand on Friday



night. The admirable and striking scenic effects were prepared by Young, Reid, Emens, Mohn and Becker. They include the front of the new Athletic club on Madison avenue; the corridor of the Imperial Hotel; a ship-yard with men at work; a night scene, in which the crew of the "Mary Vale" hoist anchor to the music of their own simple chorus. Nothing more vivid and realistic than this last scene will be witnessed on our stage.

Joseph M. Songer for Constable.

Elsewhere in these columns will be found the announcement of Joseph M. Songer for constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention. Mr. Songer has been a citizen of Macon county and of Decatur practically since the close of the war. He is a carpenter by trade, but much of his time has been engaged in the hotel business, and at this time he has a real estate office over Millikin & Co.'s bank. He was a member of Company "H," 104th Illinis Infantry during the war. He held the office of constable at one time in Hickory Point township, and it is said made a good one. He is a gentleman of good social qualities and is popular with those who know him best. Should he receive the nomination he will do all in his power to be elected, and if elected will fill the office well.

Stage Notes.

Modjeska, who will deliver the oration at the Woman's Auxiliary Congress at the World's Fair, has thus far selected five ladies to give three-minute addresses as representatives of the stage. They are Mrs. Bowers, Clara Morris, Janauschek, Ada Rehan and Georgie Cayvan.

Miss Lottie Collins is about to burst on the country in farce. Mr. J. McNally of Boston is now writing the farce for her.

Election.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the H. W. Hill Printing company at the residence of Mr. Hill last night the following directors were elected: H. W. Hill, J. N. Hill, T. A. Bone, L. A. Mills, S. T. Lowry and John S. Bixby. The directors elected the officers as follows: President, H. W. Hill; vice-president, T. A. Bone; manager, John N. Hill; assistant, S. T. Lowry; secretary and treasurer, John S. Bixby.

Funeral of Andrew Dennis.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Andrew Dennis took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the First M. E. church, Rev. T. A. Parker officiating. The interment was in Greenwood. The pallbearers were J. R. Gorin, George Hiser, George W. Brigh, J. W. Baker, E. McClellan and A. Culp.

New Officers.

The Baptist Christian Endeavor society had its semi-annual election of officers last night as follows: President, Miss Alberta Davis; vice president, Chris Cartis, secretary, Carroll McIntire; treasurer, Miss Mollie Drohsch. Superintendent of Intermediate Society, Miss Ethel Dimock.

The Final for Pupils.

J. N. Donahey, county superintendent of schools, will hold the final examination for pupils in the county at the High School building on Saturday, March 25. There will be 125 to 150 pupils in attendance.

Our Glassware Sale

embraces all grades of *Glass Tumblers*, as well as the *finest line of Cut Glass in the city*—25 styles Tumblers at from 60 to 80 cents a dozen, worth $1.00 and $2.00 a dozen. OTTO E CURTIS & BRO.

Kindergarten.

Kindergarten, 327 South Main street, Monday, March 6th, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Terms, 75c per week.

feb21-dtf MRS. W. J. BROWN.

IT is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform the cure, and are the best. W. F. Neisler.

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

Dry Goods,

151 NORTH WATER STREET.

GREAT

CONSOLIDATION ✱ SALE!

Consisting of Ten Thousand Dollars' Worth of

DRY GOODS,

Clothing and Shoes,

Being Closed out REGARDLESS OF VALUE.

Be sure and see what we are doing, as everything must be sold inside of two weeks, to close out the stock.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

MUST BE CLOSED OUT AT ONCE!

Only a few weeks remain until our remodeled building will be ready. During the short time remaining we will offer the remainder of our stock

At Prices Never Before Seen in Decatur,

as we are determined not to remove a dollar's worth of our stock into the new building.

If you want goods this is your last chance.

Don't Delay,
Come at Once.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

GLASSWARE
This Time.

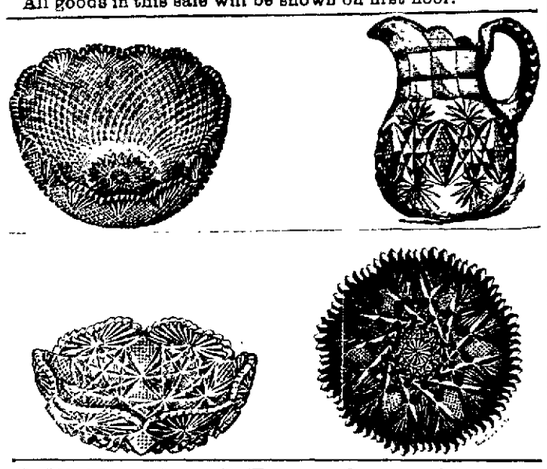


Our third annual SPECIAL SALE OF GLASSWARE will op Mond ay morning, February 27th.

In this sale we will offer our ENTIRE LINE OF CUT GLASS, as well as the less expensive lines of thin and heavy Tumblers, Pitchers, Sugars and Creamers, Rose Bowls, Cake Stands, Sherbet Cups, Sugar Sifters, Vinegar Cruets, Water Bottles, Salts, Syrup Jugs, Butter Dishes, Wine Sets, Water Sets, Whisky Sets, Lemonade Sets, Lawn Tennis Sets, and everything in glassware you ever heard of.

This sale, like all our special sales, will have such merit as regards prices and variety, that you will miss the opportunity of another year if you do not secure some nof thebargains we shall offer.

All goods in this sale will be shown on first floor.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

A TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER

In Prices This Week, at

JOHN FINN'S.

Fancy Japan Rice, per pound,	5c
New Hominy	3½c per lb., 8 lbs. for 25c
Fancy Broken Java Coffee, per lb.,	20c
Good Baking Powder in one lb. cans,	10c
6 lbs. Fresh Rolled Oats for	25c
Choice Lemons, per dozen,	15c
Sweet Chocolate, sold everywhere at 10c per cake, our price,	5c
Premium Chocolate, regular price 25c per cake, our price	20c
3 lb. California Damson Plums, per can	15c
3 lb. California Table Peaches, per can,	17c
3 lb. California Apricots, per can,	17c
3 lb. Bartlett Pears, per can,	15c
3 lb. Asparagus, worth 35c per can, our price,	20c

Our stock of Canned Goods and Dried Fruits is one of the most complete in the city.

JOHN FINN,

333 North Water Street. Telephone 341.

WATER ✻ COLORS!

→By Celebrated Artists.←

NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED. Prices reasonable. Call and see them.

J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS!

WALTER HUTCHIN

Has inaugurated a grand Clearance Sale for the month of March, embracing a full and complete line of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS preparatory to the arrival of an immense stock of Spring and Summer Footgear.

We Must Make Room for his Big Stock that is in Transit.

We are selling the present stock out at LESS THAN THE RETAILER'S COST. So now is the time to buy, and

→WALTER HUTCHIN'S←

Is the place to buy.

17 NORH WATER STREET,

The Big Shoe.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

TTESDAY EVE., MAR. 7, 1893.

—OUR SYRUP OF—

Tar and Wild Cherry

IS THE BEST REMEDY ON THE MARKET FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ETC.

KING & WOOD,

Druggists.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce S. P. LYTLE, as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ANTRIM as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce J. S. COX as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce DANIEL WHITZEL as a candidate for Highway Commissioner, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KERLEES as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT W. FERGUSON, ("Bob"), as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE F. WICKENS as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM L. HAMMER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. SHORB as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN—Please announce the name of A. C. STEVENS as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace for Decatur township, subject to the action of the township Republican convention.

A. C. STEVENS, J. P.

WE are authorized to announce Justice P. B. PADYOTT as a candidate for re-election as Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce J. S. MCCLELLAND as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce J. C. HANE as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce W. A. HOLMAN as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce M. SHEA, pension attorney, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce FRED E. MILLER as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention

WE are authorized to announce HIRAM F. DILLINGER as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOSEPH M SONGER as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce HARRY K. MIDDIFF as a candidate for Constable, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN M. POOR as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOSEPH M. MURPHEY as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce OTHO WILLIAMS as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. STOY as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce WESLEY L. JIMISON as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Clerk of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, subject to the action of the Republican township convention, JOHN NICHOLLS.

Decatur, Ill., March 1, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Everything Goes—

Salad bowls, berry bowls, nut bowls, bon-bon dishes, olive dishes, cheese plates, water bottles, water pitchers, cream pitchers and tumblers, all go in our Special Sale on Cut Glass.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

TRY Irwin's ice cream soda.

READ Anstead's adv—first page.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

HIGH art wall paper at Conklin & Honsum's.

FRENCH stripes in wall paper at Conklin & Honsum's.

A GOOD nerve tonic is celery phosphate, sold at Irwin's fountain.

SMOKE the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are made by Joseph Michl.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

ESPECIAL attention given to physicians' prescriptions at O. H. Dawson's formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

PATRONIZE C. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

SPRING and summer Tan Boots, for ladies, misses and children, now on sale at Powers' Shoe Store. m3-d&wtf

ALL the popular perfumes at C. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, Main and Water streets, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

"Success in Business, Marriage and the Profession" by Prof. Vaught, at the W. C. T. U. Hall, Tuesday night. m6d2t

TELEPHONE to C. N. May in the Syndicate Block, and order family groceries to suit you, delivered promptly to any part of the city.

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

CURE for rheumatism or neuralgia. Buy a 25-cent bottle of Salvation Oil and use it according to directions. It will cure the worst case.

THE fifth grade in the Church street school was dismissed all day yesterday and this forenoon on account of the sickness of the teacher, Miss Nettie Pritchett.

COMMENCING Monday, March 6th, the general sporting goods house of the H. Mueller Gun company will close at 6 o'clock p. m. until July 1st, except Saturday nights. 5-6t

THE Republican primary meeting for Macon township will be held in the tabernacle at Macon at 2 p. m. on Saturday, March 11. Per order of W. H. Willoughby, chairman.

TWENTY fine milch cows with calves will be sold at auction at 10 a. m. at Tom Doake's barn on West Wood street, Saturday, March 11, by A. M. Corn. 7-d3*

WE show the largest line of *cut glass in the city.* The usual extravagant claims of the "crockery" stores are as far from the facts as heretofore. We have all makes and all cuttings. The price is cut in two during this sale.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

A CASE IN COURT.

Litigation from Macon Against a 'Squire and a Constable.

There was a peculiar case before Justice Shorb this forenoon which was quickly disposed of satisfactorily to the defendants, who are still wondering why they were sued as individuals and not as officers. Some time ago Gus Dorsey, a minor, by his father Alonzo Dorsey, brought suit against James Cook and Oren Cook, in 'Squire Daggett's court at Macon, to recover $27 for labor. Judgment was secured and the execution was issued and handed to Constable Willoughby to serve. The execution was satisfied March 6th by the payment of the claim in full by the Cook brothers. The Dorseys, through some influence at present unknown, became uneasy a week ago and suit was brought against Daggett and Willoughby, individually, not as officials, for malfeasance in office, the amount of damages being placed at $200. Alonzo Dorsey was the plaintiff, not the "People for the use of, etc," which should have been the correct form; and then Daggett and Willoughby were not described as justice and constable respectively, and their bondsmen were not made defendants. The execution was less than twelve days old, and it still had nearly sixty days to run, when the judgment was paid in full. In no way were Daggett and Willoughby derelict in their official duty. On the other hand they were unusually prompt, and the plaintiff got his money quite speedily. When the case came up before Justice Shorb this morning Attorney I. D. Walker appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney A. H. Mills for the defendants. Inasmuch as the action was not in form and further that the execution had been satisfied, Dorsey dismissed the case and the litigation ended without further discussion. 'Squire Daggett said he was satisfied that a certain party at Macon was causing all the trouble.

FIRE AT CLINTON.

John F. Walker's Livery Stable and a Portion of Its Contents Destroyed.

John F. Walker's livery stable at Clinton lies in a heap of smoking ruins. At about 8 o'clock last evening a fire broke out in the office of the barn occasioned, some way, by the turning over and exploding of a lamp. Others say that it was the result of an inordinately hot fire in the stove. The flames enveloped the room and caught the dry hay above. The hose companies were on scene quick, but could not stop the flames licking up the hay. Nineteen of the horses were cut loose and escaped, but seven of the poor brutes were burned in their stalls. The entire outfit of buggies, coaches and grain, also the barn, were insured in the Phoenix, but only a part of the loss is covered. The building was a frame and had been built but a few years on the site of a former one, that also burned. The contignous buildings were marvelously saved by the firemen. The city council will pass an ordinance against any more frame structures on this site. The loss will be from $5,000 to $8,000.

A Girl in a Trance.

Miss Sadie Spielman, accompanied by her sister, Miss Maud Spielman, went to the United Brethren church last Thursday evening at Rockford to attend revival services. Miss Maud had been attending the meetings ever since they commenced, and they had such an influence over her that she decided to go to the mourners' bench and profess religion. After they had confessed religion and knelt in prayer for a short time the Spielman sisters retired to a pew and were devout in their attention to the religious exercises that were taking place. Shortly before the service closed Maud Spielman slowly slipped from her pew to the floor and would have fallen had not those who were in neighboring pews come to her assistance. Her father was summoned and he took his daughter home. All efforts to revive her have proved to be fruitless. At one time since the strange spell came over her she partially awoke and made an attempt to leave the house, but she was prevented from doing so. Since that time she has been almost lifeless and cannot recognize any member of the family or her most intimate friends. Her eyes are closed and her mouth is partly open. Her cheeks are flushed and every appearance of a person who is sleeping peacefully.

Will Go On the Road.

John L. Murphey, stenographer at the Shellabarger Mill & Elevator company's office on North Water street, will accept a position within a week as traveling salesman for the milling company in the state of Illinois. He succeeds S. D. Smith, who has been in the employ of the Shellabarger company for the past twelve years, and resigned to go into business in Chicago. Charles Peck has resigned his position as stenographer with W. L. Dumont & Co. to succeed Mr. Murphey in the milling office. A Bloomington gentleman will succeed Mr. Peck in Dumont's office.

Bradner Smith Dead.

After three weeks' illness, caused by heart trouble, J. Bradner Smith, head of the firm of Bradner Smith & Co., a large paper house in Chicago, died at his home in that city yesterday morning He was 76 years old at the time of his death. He was well known in a business way to all printing offices and stationers that bought large quantities of paper.

Apples Are Getting Scarce.

Green apples are beginning to grow a little scarce and the stocks at the commission houses in Decatur are getting thinned out. The supply is ample though yet for all home needs. Those now offered for sale here come from Canada, New Hampshire, New York and Michigan, and sell from $3.25 to $4.50.

Returned from the South.

C. P. Thatcher, who has been in the south for a month past, arrived home last night. He visited in Louisiana, Texas and other southern states, and says that the trees are budding and vegetation is rapidly making progress.

Spring Time Odors.

Onion sets are being offered at the Decatur stores and sell for 25 cents per quart. Last spring they brought 15 and 20 cents, but their scarcity this year makes them high priced.

Don't Miss It.

If you do you will be the loser, for you can get Cut Glass at a price you cannot afford to miss at E. D. Bartholomew's.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Father P. J. Mackin is in Chicago.

Dr. W. J. Chenoweth was in Monticello to-day.

D. C. Moffitt was in Argenta to-day on business.

Joe Perkins is in Sullivan to-day on business.

Mrs. W. Forbes is visiting relatives in Evanston.

Charles Walters is in Danville to-day on business.

Frank W. Anderson is in Omaha, Neb., on business.

Mrs. Ralph Templeton is visiting relatives in Peoria.

J. W. McClellan is in Mowequa today on business.

Mrs. G. C. Kinsman is visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Contractor R. O. Rosen returned today from Taylorville.

F. D. Garver, of Monticello, is in the city to-day on business.

Mrs. M. R. Coutant, of Springfield, is in the city visiting friends.

Dr. J. F. Read was in Lanesville today on professional business.

S. W. Ottenheimer, of Peoria, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. H. F. Houghton of Defiance, O., is in the city visiting relatives.

Miss Gill of Bradley Bros. has returned from a business trip to New York.

E. L. Martin left to-day for Peoria, Galesburg and Ottawa on business.

James and John Halpin returned to day from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. L. J. Cash, of Newman, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Thayer.

'Squire Daggett and Constable Willoughby of Macon were in Decatur today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Fletcher of Mt. Zion were in the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Miss Mary Raeder, who has been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mattes, left to-day for her home in St. Louis.

T. T. Roberts of the Coffin Factory company, has returned from a business trip to Union, Tenn., where he contracted for a big lot of lumber.

Miss Minnie Bachman will entertain the members of the Camp Betzar camping party next Thursday evening at her home on West Wood street.

A. J. Casno, for *The Chicago Grocer*, is in the city on business. This is the only legitimate grocers' journal published in Chicago, and the paper has a large circulation in this city.

R. T. Allison of this city, will leave for Iowa to-day to look after a section of land he owns in that state. He will be accompanied by Charles Harrah who will do some tiling on the farm.

Springfield *Journal:* Harry Staley, of base ball fame, has gone east and will sign with either the Pittsburg or Boston team. He is holding off for the best terms and will probably be captured by the Bostons.

Attorney A. M. Taylor left yesterday afternoon for Clinton. After a visit of a week in that city he will leave for Great Falls, Montana. He expects to locate in that city and engage in the practice of his profession.

Miss Ida Farmer, who has been in the city for some weeks visiting Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Farmer, will leave to-day for her home in Virden by way of St. Louis accompanied by Mrs. M. H. Farmer, who will visit in St. Louis a few days.

TAKEN TO SPRINGFIELD.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Mercy A. Morgan—The Services.

This forenoon a large company of relatives, neighbors and friends attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Mercy A. Morgan, widow of the late Captain Horace Morgan, which took place from the family residence in St. John's Place. There was a great profusion of floral offerings, tributes of love and friendship. The music was by Miss Roby, Ralph Templeton, C. N. Brown and R. W. Chilson. The services were conducted by Rev. O. E. Torrey of the first Baptist church, assisted by Rev. M. M. Goodwin of St. John's Episcopal. The funeral discourse was by Rev. Torrey. The pallbearers were George Jenkins, James H. Sears, Frank Wood, J. H. Voss, Daniel O'Brien and W. J. Hardy.

At the conclusion of the services at the residence, the remains were escorted to the depot by a large number of friends. A special train was in waiting, and the funeral party got on board and proceeded to Springfield for the interment of the body in Oak Ridge Cemetery in the Morgan burial lot.

Best Collection on Record.

Tuesday J. P. Dilling, tax collector for Whitmore township, made his settlement with the county treasurer and turned over all the money, minus his commission, which was about $184. The amount assessed for collection was $9742.20; amount collected, $9443 80; amount delinquent, $298.40. This is the closest collection of taxes that has ever been reported, and both Mr. Montgomery and Geo. M. Wood say they never knew of better work being done. Mr. Dilling is entitled to full praise for his close work.

Deaths.

Joseph N. Scott, aged 19 years, died of consumption Monday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. B. Dills, two miles south of Decatur.

The funeral will take place Wednesday at 10 a. m., Rev. Hughey officiating.

Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hartley, died of whooping cough at 836 East Clay street, Monday night, aged 1 year and 6 months. Burial on Wednesday in Long Creek.

ARTICLES of incorporation were filed yesterday with the secretary of state for the Springfield, Jacksonville & Winchester Electric Railway company. The object is to construct an electric railway from Springfield to Winchester via Jacksonville. Capital stock, $3,000,000.

THERE was a yarn on the streets last night that President Cleveland had been assassinated. There was nothing in it. The story was started by a joking operator at Vandalia and reached Decatur through the I. C. office at the depot.

A Broken Arm.

Dot, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mullinix, who resides six miles east of the city, fell last evening and fractured her right forearm. Dr. W. B. Hostetler reduced the break.

BILLY DOWSING was driving a three-year-old Boy Wilkes horse to a cart today on Prairie avenue. The animal is a sorrel and a good mover.

THIS forenoon two unknown boys slipped into Cohen & Atlas' poultry house office and stole nearly $25 in cash. No arrests.

A LARGE crowd gathered near the postoffice to-day to watch a well-known physician in his efforts to master a bicycle.

TRYING TO "DO" HIM.

William Coombe of Mt. Zion too Cute for a Picture Firm.

The other day William Coombe, a farmer of Mt. Zion township, greatly to his surprise, received a postal card from the Crescent Crayon company, Chicago, stating that his order was at hand for a picture and that the portrait would be shipped to him at the earliest possible moment. That was on February 15th. On March 3 Mr. Coombe was told that there was a picture for him in the express office at Mt. Zion, express charges 60 cents. The agent would not allow Mr. C. to look at the picture unless he first paid the 60 cents. This reminded Mr. C. who has been kept informed of the tricks of some sharpers by perusing the columns of the REPUBLICAN, that there must be a catch somewhere in the deal, and that if he accepted the picture and paid the charges, he would sooner or later be called upon to pay a bill of $25 to $50. Mr. Coombe is no sucker, and the picture is still in the Mt. Zion express office, where it will remain until he gets more light in the case. He knows that he gave no order at any time for a crayon or any other kind of picture to Chicago parties, and he feels that the Chicago company is trying to come it over him in a way that other sharpers have victimized some of his neighbors and friends.

CHANGE AT JOLIET.

Sensation at the Penitentiary—Non-Sectarian Teachers Put Out.

A telegram from Joliet states that by order of the new chaplain, the Rev. Mr. Stephan, who preached his initial sermon at the penitentiary Sunday the religious instruction given the convicts ceases to be non-sectarian and becomes Lutheran and catholic.

The chaplain informed the Sunday school teachers that their services would terminate with the present Sunday's work, and that "in accordance with the wishes of the professor of the Springfield Lutheran Seminary students will be sent up every Sunday from Springfield to teach the catechism." This announcement was like a bomb-shell among the class and teachers. The teachers have taught six years gratis and are from every church in the city. They have not taught a catechism but have used the international Sunday school lessons. The prisoners in the classes numbered 300. As it now is the Lutheran and the catholic churches have the entire charge of the spiritual welfare of the prisoners and teach not Sunday school lessons but catholicism. Joliet is considerably aroused at the affair and so are the prisoners.

Telephone Patent Expires.

To-day the fundamental patent on the telephone that was issued to Alexander Graham Bell runs out. This is the patent covering the transmission of speech electrically over a wire. At the same time the patent first issued on the receiver will expire, though a second patent was granted on this device January 30, 1877, and that has until January 30th of next year to run. These are not all the patents owned and controlled by the Bell Telephone company which have run out, for February 21st the Blake transmitter, which receives speech and transmits it over the wire and which for many years was operated by the Bell company, became the property of the public. So says a Washington dispatch. But notwithstanding this, officials of the Bell Telephone company declare that the ground upon which that great monopoly stands is no weaker and that it is as able now as ever to maintain its position as controller of the field.

Sales of Real Estate.

Volney Barber to H. McKinley, the west half of the northwest quarter of 23, 17, 3 east—$6,800.

James W. Race to George Pasfield, the south half of the south half of the east half of lot 2 in block 2 in the original town of Decatur—$7,000.

W. A. Dowsey to W. M Yantis, lot 1 of John A. Williams' First addition to Decatur—$1,600.

Jason Rogers to Allen J. Jones, the south half of the southeast quarter of 28, 18, 3 east—$3 800.

V. W. Draper to Joseph Winchester, deed to lot 6, Reeves' addition—$1100.

Fred. Norman to Henry Shlaudeman, deed to lot 50x179 feet, in block 2, Martin Forstmeyer's addition—$1250.

L. R. Morse to George Jacobsen, deed to 154.24 acres in 18, 17, 1 east—$10 026.

A. M. Corn to William Mutton, deed to tract of land in 23, 16, 2 east—$1100.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Regular Convocation of Macon chapter, No. 21, R. A. Masons, this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock for work. All companions in regular standing are invited. A. M. WERNER, H. P. N. L. KRONE, Sec.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 65, this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall. Work in the Third degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us.

E. D. SPERLE, N. G.

I. N. MARTIN, JR., Sec.

A. O. U. W.

Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 384, this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30. Business of importance. A full attendance urged. Visiting brethren made welcome.

ALLEN GRANT, M. W.

C. C. BEAR, Recorder.

Attention, G. A. R.

Regular meeting to-night of Dunham Post No. 141.

Old comrades, remember the Post Room,
And make it your duty to call;
Forget not to-night there's a meeting,
And be at your place in the hall.
Go greet your old comrades with kindness;
Go stand as we stood in the fight,
With touch to the left at the elbow.
Forget not the meeting to-night.

Visiting comrades cordially invited.

NORMAN PRINGLE, Post Com.
JOHN A. REEVE, Adjutant.

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the old stand on North Church street, Decatur, Ill., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 13, 14 and 15. Will buy a car load of horses for the New England market. Want some good blocky ones, from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

m7-d5w1 EDWIN PRATT.

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SPECIAL PRICES:

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3.50	6.50
4.49	7.50

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The Celebrated "Centemeri" Kid Gloves and Butterick's Patterns and Publications.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by R. Z. Taylor, who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill. March 7, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	72¾	73¾	73¼	73⅝
May	76¾	77	76⅛	76⅞
July	75	75¼	74¾	75¼
CORN—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	41	41⅝	40⅞	41⅜
May	43½	44	43½	43⅝
July	44¾	44⅞	44¾	44⅝
OATS—				
Mar	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
May	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜
July	....	....	....	....
PORK—				
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	18 25	18 40	18 25	18 25
July	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
May	12 85	12 85	12 85	12 85
July	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
May	10 25	10 37	10 20	10 10
July	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 289; Contract, 97.
Corn, all grades, 289; Contract, 54.
Oats, all grades 187; Contract, 36.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 18,000; 10 lower.
Cattle 6,000; steady.

Wheat advanced ⅝c, after a decline of ½, closing ⅛c higher than last night. Corn and oats strong closing ⅛ to ¼c higher.

Puts on May wheat.....76⅝
Calls " " 77½-¾
Puts " " corn.....43⅝
Calls " " 44
Curb; wheat 76⅛-79, corn 43¾-44.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 120; Corn, 150; Oats, 130.
Hogs 22,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., March 7, 1893.

The position of the wheat market is unchanged. On lower cables there was some free selling. May opened at 76¾. The high price of money in New York added to the weakness, but on the reaction from 76½ to 75¼ it was difficult to buy until the highest point was reached. The so-called bull clique have not been prominent either as buyers or sellers to-day. March is the great bull month in the spring, as July is in the summer, and they appear to be willing to take advantage of crop damage and wait until prospects are more positive one way or the other. This market is out of line with Europe as well as with all other markets on this continent. July is getting to be more of a favorite in the pit trading.

In corn the shorts have continued to buy, making three days their purchases have been the principal feature. The cash demand is good for the daily arrivals. The market will need a continuance of buying orders to sustain it on the bulges.

Daily arrivals of oats in good demand.

Provisions very sensitive with a downward tendency of prices. Late bulls show more disposition to sell.

GOV. FLOWER of New York and J. Sterling Morton spent their boyhood days in school together.

NURSE GIRL WANTED. Apply to C. A. ZAGER, at Hotel Long. 7-d1w

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Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

3,000 PAIRS.

IN our wholesale house at Chicago and in our retail store at Decatur we have a total of about 3,000 pairs of C. P. Ford & Co.'s fine shoes for ladies. We want you to know that these shoes are among the best shoes manufactured for ladies' wear. Every one ought to know that. They are made out of prime stock. They are stylish; they are made in the best style by good workmen. They are all right for looks and they are all right for wear. They are away up good ones and they are really worth the money for which they are sold at retail. Our shoes of this manufacture are as good as any made. They are worth just as much money as any other goods of C. P. Ford & Co.'s manufacture and every one ought to know that the firm is one of the best manufacturers of ladies' fine shoes in this country. We have these shoes in machine sewed, hand turned and hand welt and hand-turn. They retail regular at $3 for machine sewed, $3.50 and $4 for hand turn, and $3.50 and $4 for hand welt and hand turned. They are worth the money. We cut these shoes to $2, $2.50 and $2.75 for the three kinds. In order to induce as large purchases as possible in this special line we now intend to offer you the various shoes of this manufacture at $1.75 for machine sewed, $2.25 for either hand turned or hand welt and hand turned. Now it is a fact that the hand turned and hand welt job regular at $2.75, and every shoe dealer in the city could tell you that if he would. But we intend to sell them at the prices which we have quoted, which is 50 cents a pair less than the jobbing price.

DO YOU ASK WHY?

Not that there is anything the matter with the shoes for there is nothing wrong with them. The only reason is that we intend to go out of this line altogether and we propose to make prices that will sell them. No lady in Decatur and no lady in the surrounding towns can afford to let this opportunity slip. They can never again buy shoes at such tremendous reduction and of such uniform good quality, and in every size and width that may be desired. Remember these are 3,000 pairs only and we want to sell as large a number of pairs as possible through our Decatur house because we want to give a benefit to all those who were our patrons in the days before we became wholesalers in Chicago.

DON'T LET THEM BEAR FALSE WITNESS.

It is probably true that every rival shoe dealer in Decatur will have something to say against these shoes now that they cannot meet the prices. It is probably true that every shoe dealer in Decatur may have something to say about the style of our advertising. What do you care? It is the goods at the prices for which you are looking and that is precisely what we are giving you.

THIS SALE TO CONTINUE TILL APRIL 1.

We have so many goods that this sale will continue to April 1. We continue our low price sale on everything in our store. We ask you to note that in some things there are substantial reductions from any prices heretofore made, for instance, Burt & Mears shoes at $1.75 per pair.

→MEN'S SHOES.←

Men's calf shoes, Goodyear hand-sewed, retail regular at $3.50 and $4, cost $2.25 we will sell you one pair or as many pairs as you want at $2.

Men's calf shoes, which retail at $3, cost $2 and $2.25; we will give you one pair or as many as you like at $1. 35 per pair.

From the above you have noticed that on goods which we must close out before spring we are actually taking a loss on the retailer's cost price. We wish we could tell you this fact in a way that you would appreciate it to the extent of buying for future use if you have at present all the shoes which you need.

We continue our unheard of low prices on the James A. Banister and Burt & Mears' Shoes. We want you to buy shoes this month.

$6 FOR $4.75.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, cordovans, regularly sold at $6 and worth the money—in this sale go at $4.75.

$5 FOR $4.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, in fine calf, all styles and sizes, our regular stock, sold by us all the year round at $5.50 and worth the money, but in this sale they go at $4.

$6.50 FOR $1.75.

The celebrated Burt & Mears' Shoes, hand-made and hand-sewed, sold regularly at $6.50. We have only sizes 6½, 6, 6½, 9½, 10 and 11. If we can fit you, you may have a pair at $1.75. These run large; shoes in congress and button.

→FERRISS & LAPHAM,←

148 East Main Street.